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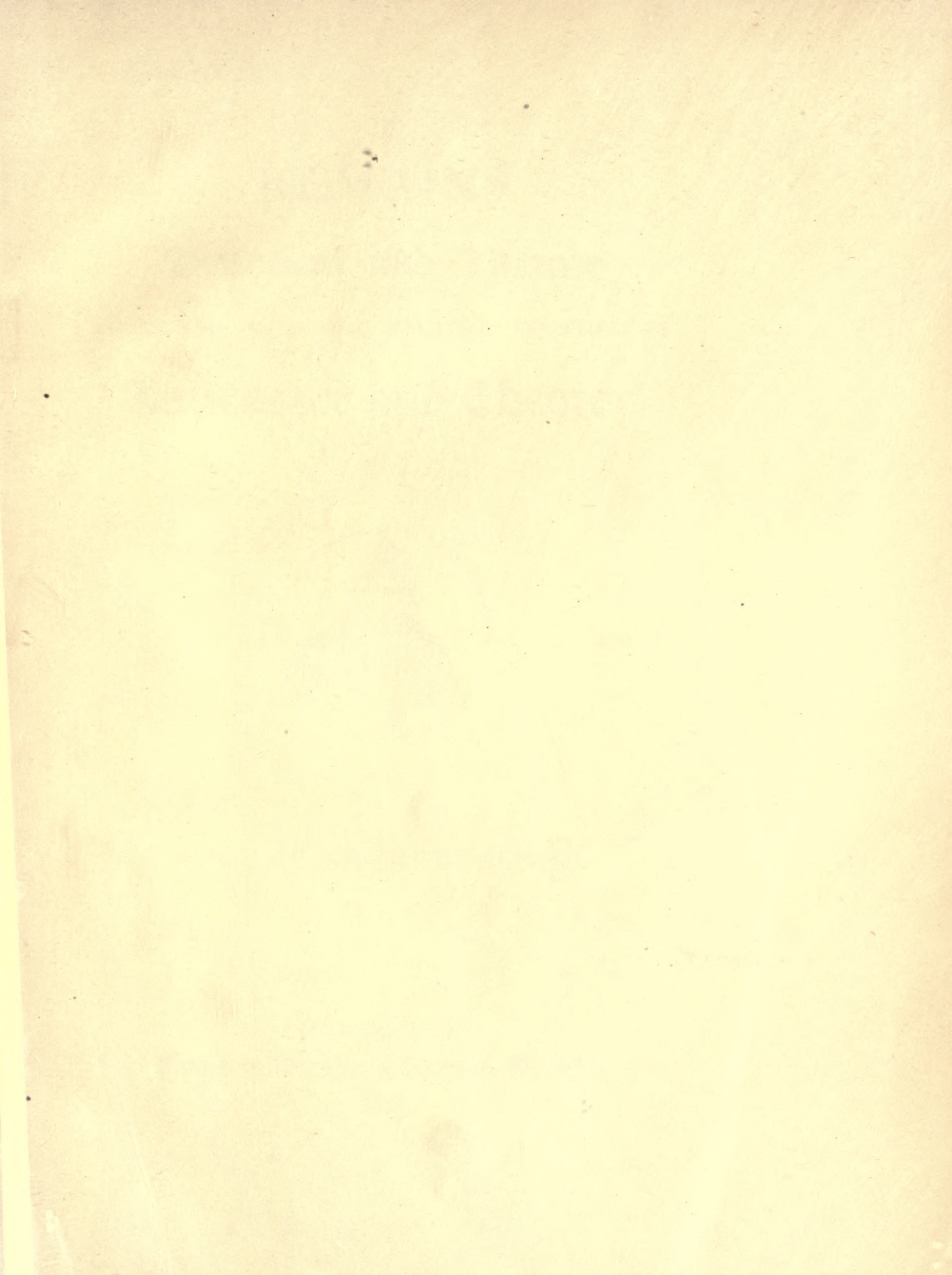
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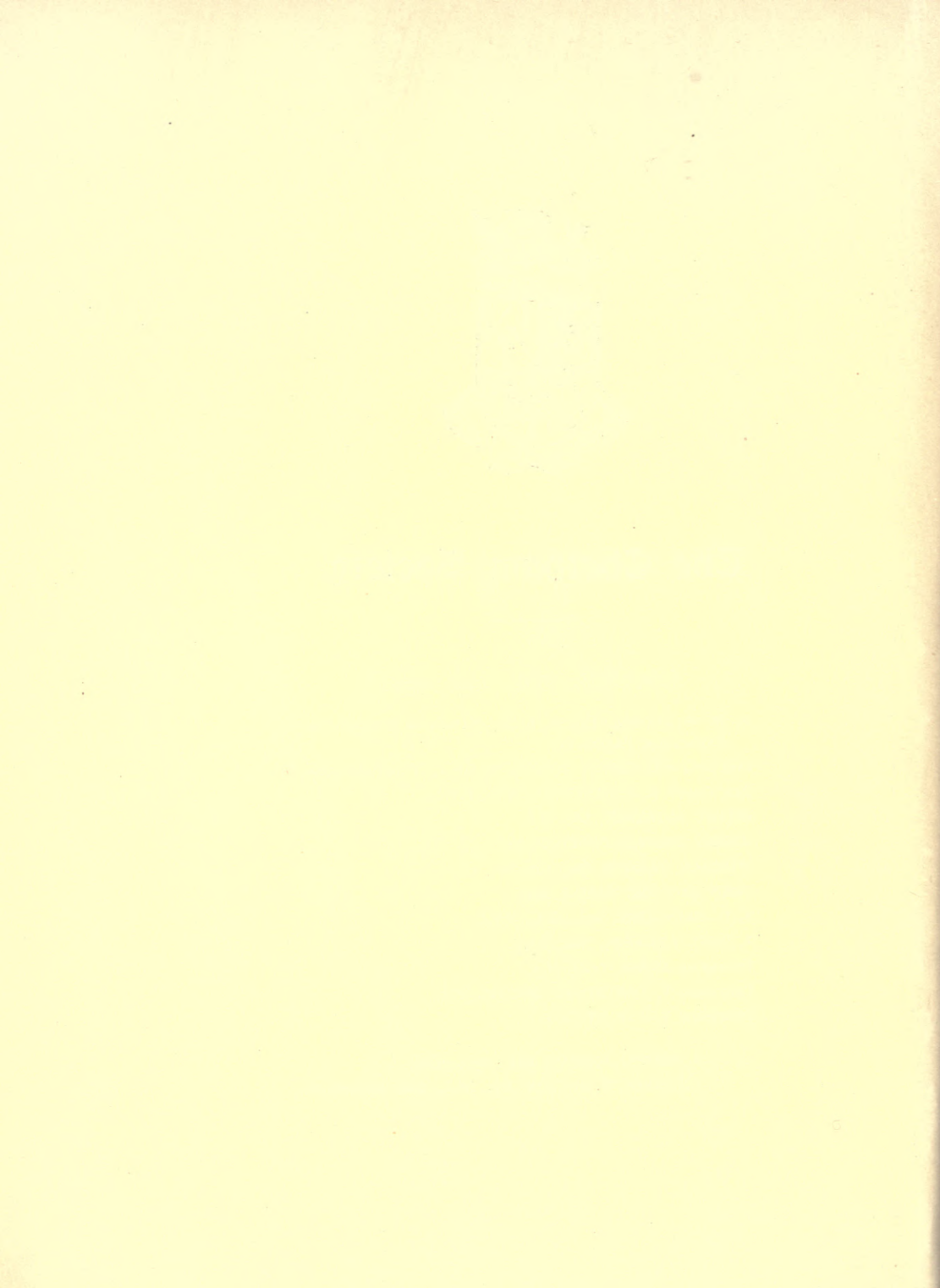
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Memorandum that the xxv<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup> which was in Richard Lawe his hands is by him layd forth as by his accomptes appeareth savinge iij<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup> thereof which is remayning in his hands iij<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup>.

Memorandum that Mr. Browne late Scholmaster dyd gyve xl<sup>s</sup> for a legacie to the Schoole which is this day paid in by John Bolton his executor. And alsoe William Broughton hath geven for a legacie to the said Schoole vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> which is this day paid in by Mr. Morres beinge one of his executors which xlvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> is this day ordered by the Governors to bee bestowed upon a messenger which is already hyred to goe into Ireland to Mr. Collinson.

|           |                  |                 |
|-----------|------------------|-----------------|
| [Signed:] | Thomas Walmsley. | James Lyuesey.  |
|           | James Whythalgh. | George Lyvesey. |
|           | George Boulton.  | Rauffe Rishton. |
|           | John Morres.     | John Clayton.   |
|           |                  | John Haworth.   |

James. Vicesimo nono die Septembris 1613.

Memorandum that the the day & yeare abouesaid Mr. Rysheton the Usher hath deliuered the bonds into the hands of the Gouvernors which were taken the last Michaelmas for the said some of Cxxij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> all savinge for the xxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> which remayneth in the hands of the said Mr. Rysheton, which xxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> the said Mr. Rysheton will pay in to the Gouvernors appointed to receave the same, before Monday come seven nighte which is appointed for a newe meetinge & then the said Mr. Rysheton is to haue his dischargd for the same, and the said sixe bonds taken for the same moneys are to bee renewed as is already appointed & the bonds to bee returned in to the said Gouvernors att the said next meetinge and the said Mr. Rysheton is of the said bonds dischargd already and the entry of the newe bonds is to bee made att the next meetinge when the same are renewed, accordinge as is now appointed.

For the xx<sup>li</sup> which was in Mr. Morres his hands by the

former accompts yt is this day appointed to bee putt forth and security to bee taken for yt as for the rest of the Schoole Stocke before the next meetinge & *that* by & with the knowledge of Mr. Collinson nowe Schoolemayster to whom the benefyte that cometh by the same doth belonge.

Memorandum that Richard Lawe hath accompted this day howe hee hath disbursed the iijs iiij<sup>d</sup> remayning in his hands & the said accompt is allowed, and hee hath alsoe disbursed v<sup>d</sup> more as by his said accompt appeareth, which is yet due unto him till another meetinge.

[Signed:]

Thomas Walmsley.  
James Liuesey.  
John Morres.  
George Talbott.  
Edward Gelibrand.  
John Haworth.

Thomas Sothworth.  
Thomas Holden.  
John Gelibrond.  
George Lyvesey.  
Roger Smalley.  
Thomas Aspmall.

Vicesimo primo die Decembris 1613.

Memorandum that yt is this day certyfyed unto the Governors of the Schoole that the right Worshipfull Sir Thomas Walmysley Knight *nowe deceased* dyd gyve & bestowe upon the Schoole of Blackborne liijs iiij<sup>d</sup>,\* for a legacy which some of liijs iiij<sup>d</sup> is this day payd in to the use of the said Schoole. Soe the said some of liijs iiij<sup>d</sup> is this day acknowledged to bee fully satysfyed to the use of the said Schoole by the Governors whose names are subscrybed and the same money is appointed to bee putt forth with the residue of the Schoole stocke.

Memorandum that this day Mr. Richard Rysheton hath accompted for the xxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> which was in his hands all savinge xxxiijs which is therof abated & is allowed to bee retayned by Mr. Rysheton in liewe of xxxiijs which was due unto him, & was to haue bene collected in by Mr. John Gelibrond but could not bee obtayned & gotten in, Soe that

\* A few lines, ruled out, state that "forty shillings was disbursed for the charge of a messenger for the fetchinge of Mr. Collinson forth of Ireland."



the said Mr. Rysheton is wholly discharged & acquitted of the said some of xxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvijs vjd and alsoe of all other chardges & accompts concernyng the Schoole whatsoever neuertheles yt is to bee taken forth of the surplusage of the wages formerly allowed to the Usher att Michaelmas next & is to bee added to the Schoole stocke ageine And the whole Stocke of the Schoole is now Cxxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvijs 10<sup>d</sup>. The said legacy geven by Mr. Justice Walmisley being added, and the said foremencioned xxxiijs beinge abated which said some of Cxxiiij<sup>li</sup> 17<sup>s</sup> 10<sup>d</sup> is disposed of as followeth:—

|                      |   |   |   |   |   |   |        |
|----------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|--------|
| To Mr. Mollineux     | - | - | - | - | - | - | xxli   |
| To James Walmisley   | - | - | - | - | - | - | xxxli  |
| To William Warde     | - | - | - | - | - | - | xli    |
| To William Walbancke | - | - | - | - | - | - | vjli   |
| To Richard Walmisley | - | - | - | - | - | - | xls    |
| To Edward Thorneley  | - | - | - | - | - | - | xxli   |
| To William Bolton    | - | - | - | - | - | - | xli    |
| To Richard Worden    | - | - | - | - | - | - | xxli   |
| To Roger Dewhurst    | - | - | - | - | - | - | iiijli |

Remayneth yet to bee putt forth & the bond to bee

certified att the next meetinge - - - - - lvij<sup>s</sup> vjd

Soe the whole some is iust - - - Cxxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvijs vjd

Memorandum that the day & yeare abovesaide yt is agreed & ordered by the Gouvernors of the said Schoole that the wages formerly allowed to the Usher shalbe abated to ten pounds. And that the surplusage therof above the said some of xli bee reserved in the power of the said Gouvernors to bee disposed of for the benefyte of the said Schoole as hereafter shalbee by them thought fytt. And Mr. Robert Osbaldeston bachelour in arts is this day elected & admitted to bee usher of the said Schoole & to receive the said wages of xli as the same shall growe due.

|                            |                 |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| [Signed:] Thomas Walmsley. | John Gelibrond. |
| Edward Osbaldeston.        | Rychard Lawe.   |
| Edward Gelibrand.          | John Haworth.   |
| James Lyuesey.             | John Morres.    |
| John Clayton.              |                 |

Vicesimo nono die Septembris 1614.

Memorandum that the day and yeare abovesayd forasmuch as the Governors nowe present att this meetinge doe perceave that such persons as haue the Schoole money att interest are slacke in bringinge in their interest money by reason whearof the Usher cannot receave his wages in such due tyme as otherwyse hee shold, And for that the said persons doe not bringe in their moneys att the day as yt was euer intended by the Gouvernors that they shold, to thend that yt might bee disposed of ageyne as shold be thought fytt, And for that nowe yt is thought fytt, for the more certeinty and ease in & about the said Schoole stocke & busynes, that some purchase of lands bee enquired after betwene this & the next sommer, wherof the said Gouvernors have better hope in regard they have receaved some informacion to that purpose already, yt is nowe therfore ordered that Mr. Morres ioyninge with some twoe or three more of the Gouvernors which are nearest & shalbe most readely mett withall, shall receave all such moneys as shalbee brought in of the said Schoole stocke betwixt this & St. Lukes day next, & shall dispose of the same ageine att interest to such persons as they shall thinke fytt, but onelye for vj months & noe longer and that the said foremencioned Gouvernors shall renewe the bonds of such as shall not bringe in their moneys, soe many of them as they shall thinke good, and that onely for vj monethes & noe longer, att which vj monthes end notice may bee gyven to the said persons indebted that their moneys wilbee expected att the sayd vj monthes end in regard of the purpose of the said Gouvernors, intended for the purchase aforesayd, And for such persons as haue any of the Schoole stocke in their hands & doe not make payment thereof or gyve such other satsfaccion therein as is already appointed to bee done & that before the sayd St. Lukes day next, yt is thought fytt that their bonds bee putt in suyt this next terme without delay.

Memorandum that this day thes persons whose names are hearunder wrytten are elected as Governors into the number

of Gouvernors of the Free Gramer Schoole of Blackeborne, & haue geven of their bounty towards the encrease of the stocke of the sayd Schoole, tenne shillings a peece seuerally as followeth :—

|                                   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                |                  |
|-----------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|----------------|------------------|
| John Smyth, gent.                 | - | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>s</sup> | } 1 <sup>s</sup> |
| Thomas Lussell, gent.             | - | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>s</sup> |                  |
| Thomas Whalley, gent.             | - | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>s</sup> |                  |
| Thurstan Mawdesley, senior, gent. |   |   |   | - | - | - | x <sup>s</sup> |                  |
| Seth Clayton, gent.               | - | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>s</sup> |                  |

Memorandum that the 1<sup>s</sup> aforesayd is paid to Richard Lawes hands, x<sup>s</sup> whearof is allowed for disbursements already layd owt by him for the Schoole affaires & the other xl<sup>s</sup> is left remayninge in the sayd Richard Lawes hands till the next meetinge.

|           |                  |                 |
|-----------|------------------|-----------------|
| [Signed:] | Thomas Walmsley. | John Smyth.     |
|           | John Morres.     | John Clayton.   |
|           | Thomas Astley.   | John Gelibrond. |

Nono die Octobris 1615.

Yt is this day ordered that the former order taken the last yeare for the puttinge in suite of the bounds whearupon the Schoole stocke is due bee confirmed, and that the same bee putt in suyt accordinglie in regard the persons that are owinge the said stocke haue not as yett payd in the said moneys accordinglie, And for the accompt of the Ushers wages & of the surplusage therof for the more ease of the Gouvernors in generall and for that some part of the interest money is not yett come in so as an accompt therof cannot bee nowe perfectly made, yt is therfore required & ordered that Mr. Morres ioyninge with him three or fower of the Gouvernors nearest to the towne to take the accompt of the said surplusage and to see what remayneth cleare after the Ushers wages paid, aswell for this yeare as for the yeare before this ended att Michaelmes 1614, and they to sett downe under their hands what the remaynder is therupon



and the same to be exhibited to the Gouvernors att their next generall meetinge, and then the some to bee disposed of as shalbee thought fytt.

|           |                      |                  |
|-----------|----------------------|------------------|
| [Signed:] | Thomas Sothworth.    | John Morres.     |
|           | John Smythe.         | Thomas Astley.   |
|           | Thurstan Mawdisleye. | John Clayton.    |
|           | Thomas Whaley.       | John Gelibrond.  |
|           | John Haworth.        | James Whythalgh. |
|           | Edward Osbaldeston.  | Rychard Lawe.    |
|           | James Lyuesey.       |                  |

Decimo quinto die Octobris 1616.

This day Mr. Robert Osbaldeston usher of the said schoole hath geven notice to the Governors of the said schoole that hee will leave his place of usher there att or before the feast of Easter next unless the said governors shall in the mean tyme desire his contynuanee in the said place and procure his consent thereunto, And therefore the said governors have now ordered and appointed that the said usher shall not contynue his said place nor bee usher of the said schoole any longer then only untill the said feast of Easter next beinge not by the governors of the schoole required as aforesaid.

|                      |                      |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| Thomas Walmsley.     | Thurstan Mawdisleye. |
| James Livesey.       | George Boulton.      |
| Thomas Astley.       | Edward Osbaldeston.  |
| Rauffe Rishtonn.     | John Morres.         |
| John Clayton.        | George Talbott.      |
| Edward Gelibrand.    | Thomas Holden.       |
| Jo. Gelibrond.       | Jo. Smythe.          |
| Thomas Whalley.      | Henrye Ffeildenn.    |
| Lawrence Ainesworth. | Laurence Gorton.     |
| Jo. Haworth.         | Seth Clayton.        |
| Thomas Aspmall.      |                      |

Memorandum the daie abouemencioned thes persons whose names are hearunder written are elected as governors into the number of governors of the free grammer Schoole of Blackeborne and have geven of their bountie towards the encrease of the stocke of the said schoole every of them respectivelie as followeth viz.

|                                     |   |   |                   |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|---|-------------------|---|
| Raphe Asheton esquire -             | - | - | xx <sup>s</sup>   | This iiij <sup>li</sup> is all of<br>yt in Mr. Morres<br>hands. |
| John Braddyll esquire -             | - | - | x <sup>s</sup>    |   |
| Richard Osbaldeston gent. -         | - | - | x <sup>s</sup>    |   |
| Thomas Walmsley sonne & heire of    |   |   |                   |   |
| Thomas Walmsley esquire -           | - | - | xx <sup>s</sup>   |   |
| Thomas Sothworth sonne & heire of   |   |   |                   |   |
| John Sothworth esquire deceased -   |   |   | x <sup>s</sup>    | This liiijs is also<br>in Mr. Morres<br>hands.                  |
| Jo. Osbaldeston sonne & heire of    |   |   |                   |   |
| Edward Osbaldeston esquire -        |   |   | x <sup>s</sup>    |   |
| Sir Richard Mollineux junior knight |   |   | xxij <sup>s</sup> |   |
| Sir Thomas Gerrard junior knight -  |   |   | xxij <sup>s</sup> |   |
| Mr. Richard Walmsley of Showley     |   |   | x <sup>s</sup>    |   |

xiii<sup>to</sup> die Aprilis 1617.

This daie the gouernors whose names are hereunder written haue publikelie geven their voices and consent for removinge of Mr. Osbaldeston from the place of usher of the schoole of Blackeborne, And do therefore agree & order that hee shall not att anie time after the feast of Easter next cominge exercise or enioie the said place anie longer nor shall from henceforth att any tyme hereafter haue receave or take any wages for or by reason of the same place in anye wise, other then five pounds onely due unto him for halfe a yeare nowe already past, And it is required by the said gouernors that Mr. Collinson the schoolemaster wold (against such tyme as he begynne to teach schoole againe) make choise of some able scholler in his schoole whoe maie bee appointed and willed to take paynes in teachinge of those schollars which are under the ushers chardge for a short tyme untill the gouernors



maie mete agayne for the eleccion of a newe usher, which is intended to bee done before whitsuntide next att the furthest.

Thomas Walmsley.  
John Talbott.  
John Morres.  
George Talbott.  
John Clayton.  
John Gelibrond.  
Rychard Lawe.  
John Smith.  
Lawrence Aynesworth.

George Boulton.  
Raphe Assheton.  
James Liuesey.  
Richard Parker.  
Edward Gelibrand.  
Thomas Whalley.  
Jo. Haworth.  
George Lyvesay.  
Thomas Aspmall.

Octobris 13. Anno domini 1617.

Memorandum that this present day fyve pounds is lent unto the late usher Mr. Osbaldeston over and besydes the ffyfte shylyngs he hath in his hands already untill St. Thomas his Day next comming, att which tyme he is to account for the same, and all other accomptes to be perfected and in the meane tyme Mr. Morres, & Mr. John Gelibrond to receave the interest money, & to lett forthe the money that shall come into their hands in the meane tyme.

Edward Osbaldeston Tho. Walmsley Ric: Osb:  
Rauffe Rishton John Talbott John Osbaldeston John  
Morres Ryc: Lawe John Smith Tho: Whalley John  
Crosse Laurence Gorton John Clayton.

December the xxj, 1618.

Upon an accompte taken by the governours of the sayd schole of the hole stocke of the said schole yt appeareth the daye and yeare abousaid that the stocke doth amounte to the Some of one hundreth three score and twelve pounds, which said stocke is putt forth by Mr. John Gillibrand one of the Governors deputed for the same purpose by the rest of the



governors, whoe showed forth the bonnds and hath them in his keepinge, as followeth :

James Walmsley xxx<sup>li</sup>—Interest iij<sup>li</sup>

Christopher Marsden xxvj<sup>li</sup> xiijs 4<sup>d</sup>—Interest xxxvijs 4<sup>d</sup>

\*Robte Hutton xx<sup>li</sup>—Interest xl<sup>s</sup>

Edw Thorneley xx<sup>li</sup>—Interest xl<sup>s</sup>

Alice Lussell xx<sup>li</sup>—Interest xl<sup>s</sup>

Tho. ffishe x<sup>li</sup>—Interest xx<sup>s</sup>

John Edge x<sup>li</sup>—Interest xx<sup>s</sup>

Mr. Rowland Houghton x<sup>li</sup>—Interest xx<sup>s</sup>

John Nuttall x<sup>li</sup>—Interest xx<sup>s</sup>

Tho : Newton x<sup>li</sup>—Interest xx<sup>s</sup>

Ellen Warde parcell of the xv<sup>li</sup> owing by her late husband and others and payable at Candlemas 1618 and at Candlemas 1619 by equall portions without Interest, v<sup>li</sup> vjs viij<sup>d</sup>.

The some of the hole stocke is 172<sup>li</sup> & Interest 15<sup>li</sup> 17<sup>s</sup> 4<sup>d</sup>

John Talbott

John Clayton

Tho Walmsley

Jo : Gelibrond

Richard Walmsley

Ryc : Lawe

John Morres

Law : Aynsworth.

Richard Osbaldeston

December the xxjth 1618.

Memorandum the day and yeare aboue written the governors have receyved Richard Welchman to serve for usher untill Michaelmas next and noe further but as the sayd governors shall lyke of him after x<sup>li</sup> the yeare.

John Talbott

John Clayton

Tho. Walmsley

Richard Walmsley

Richard Osbaldeston

Ryc. Lawe

John Morres

Octobris 4<sup>o</sup> Anno Domini 1619.

Memorandum that the above named Rychard Welshman elected as before, came not att all to supplye the place according to his promyse, & thereupon Mr. Collynsonn the Schoolemaster did supply the place of usher allso from the

\* Of Warton, see p. 148

feast of Christemas last untill St. John Baptiste his day last, from which tyme Mr. Bradeley hath supplied the place of usher, and hath bene received as usher by the Governours of the sayd free Grammer Schoole after the rate of ten pounds the yeare, & for Mr. Collynson his paines that halffe yeare, Mr. John Gelybrand is entreated to geve unto him ffyve pounds, when the stocke of the schoole shall come into his hands conveniently to discharge ytt.

Tho. Walmsley  
John Morres  
John Claytonn  
Ryc. Lawe

Jo: Smyth  
Jo: Gelibrond  
Lawrence Aynsworth

Octobris 4<sup>o</sup> Ano Do. 1619.

Memorandum that the day & yeare abovesayd Mr. John Gelybrand shewed all the bonds, which were left in his hands the last yeare, & they are returned into his hands againe to take care to have them all renewed before the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December next comming, & upon that day to bring them all before the governours att their then meeting, & then to make accompte howe they are renewed, & what the stocke amounteth unto :

Thomas Walmsley  
John Morres  
John Clayton

Ryc Lawe  
Jo: Smyth  
Jo: Gelibrond

Vicesimo primo Decembris 1619.

In performance of the order aboue mentioned.

The accompt of the schole stocke and of the Interest thereof at Michaelmas aboue written.

It was this day agreed, and ordered by Thomas Walmisley Esquier and others the Governors of the same schole, that John Gelibrond now haveinge the Custodie of the Bonnds and Specialties of the Stocke of the same schole, shall (out of the Interest money, and out of the money yearly paid at

Clytherow) paye to the persons next hereafter named being owing and due to them and the Residue to bee put forth upon use.

|   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |                                 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----------------|---------------------------------|
| Delivered to Mr. Collinsone the Scholemaster    |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |                                 |
| which is yearely paid and allowed to him over   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |                                 |
| and besides his steepend of xx <sup>li</sup>    | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>ls</sup> |                                 |
| To Mr. Bradley being a quarter's wage ended     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |                                 |
| at Miclemas 1619                                | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 <sup>s</sup>  | In toto                         |
| To Mr. Walmisley which hee disbursed to Mr.     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |                                 |
| Bradley at Christemas 1618                      | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>ls</sup> | xj <sup>li</sup> x <sup>s</sup> |
| To Mr. Collinson ffor his pains in the vocacion |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |                                 |
| ffrom Christemas 1618 untill Midsoomer then     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |                                 |
| next following                                  | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | v <sup>li</sup> |                                 |

Received of Interest Money and othere somes vidz :

Of James Walmisley - - - - - iij<sup>li</sup>

Of Christofer Marsden 37<sup>s</sup> and iiij<sup>d</sup> of Interest and parcell of the Stocke 19<sup>s</sup> 8<sup>d</sup> - - - - - In toto 57<sup>s</sup>

|                       |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |                  |
|-----------------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----------------|------------------|
| Robt Hutton           | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1 <sup>s</sup>  |                  |
| Edward Thorneley      | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>ls</sup> |                  |
| Thomas ffishe         | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>s</sup> |                  |
| Alice Lussell         | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>ls</sup> |                  |
| John Edge             | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>s</sup> | xj <sup>li</sup> |
| Rowland Houghton gent | - |   |   |   | - | - | - | xx <sup>s</sup> |                  |
| John Nuttall          | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>s</sup> |                  |
| Thomas Newton         | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>s</sup> |                  |

Received also ffrom Clytherow - - - iij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup>

By this accoumpt it appeareth that is Remayning to bee sett forth ix<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>.

Memorandum that this December the xx<sup>th</sup> 1619 John Gelibrond showed forth to the Governors the Bonnds ffor



the Schole stocke and for what manner and to whome the said Stocke was put fforth as followeth.

|                                 | The<br>Stocke.                                   | The<br>Interest.                           |
|---------------------------------|--|--|
| James Walmisley - - - - -       | xxx <sup>li</sup>                                | ii <sup>j</sup> <sup>li</sup>              |
| Christofer Marsden - - - - -    | xxv <sup>li</sup> 14 <sup>s</sup> 4 <sup>d</sup> | 1 <sup>j</sup> <sup>s</sup> 4 <sup>d</sup> |
| Robt Hutton - - - - -           | xx <sup>li</sup>                                 | x <sup>l</sup> <sup>s</sup>                |
| Edward Thorneley - - - - -      | x <sup>li</sup>                                  | xx <sup>s</sup>                            |
| Tho: Cowpe - - - - -            | x <sup>li</sup>                                  | xx <sup>s</sup>                            |
| Alice Lusell - - - - -          | xx <sup>li</sup>                                 | x <sup>l</sup> <sup>s</sup>                |
| Thomas flishe - - - - -         | x <sup>li</sup>                                  | xx <sup>s</sup>                            |
| John Edge - - - - -             | x <sup>li</sup>                                  | xx <sup>s</sup>                            |
| Rowland Houghton gent - - - - - | x <sup>li</sup>                                  | xx <sup>s</sup>                            |
| John Nuttall - - - - -          | x <sup>li</sup>                                  | xx <sup>s</sup>                            |
| Thomas Newton - - - - -         | x <sup>li</sup>                                  | xx <sup>s</sup>                            |

Memorandum the said some of ix<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iii<sup>j</sup><sup>d</sup> which is before mencioned to be Remayning to bee sett fforth was letten unto Richard Haighton, but because it was not Received untill after Miclemas, therefore hee payes not the whole yeares Interest - - - ix<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iii<sup>j</sup><sup>d</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>

Ellen Ward widowe oweth as doth appeare by Tow Bonnds without Interest which if the same bee not paid before Midsomer 1620, Then the same Bonnds to bee put in Suit - - - v<sup>li</sup> v<sup>j</sup><sup>s</sup> 8<sup>d</sup>

Soe it appeares the Totall some of the Stocke put fforth the amounteth to the some of - - - 180<sup>li</sup>\*  
The whole some of the Interest money is - - - 17<sup>li</sup> 7<sup>s</sup> i<sup>j</sup><sup>d</sup>

Which some of 17<sup>li</sup> 7<sup>s</sup> i<sup>j</sup><sup>d</sup> added to the fformer some of 180<sup>li</sup> will make the whole stoke at Miclemas 1620 to bee - - - - - 197<sup>li</sup> 18<sup>s</sup> 6<sup>d</sup>

There is also to bee Received at Miclemas 1620 out of the Revenewes of the Duchie

\* The accountant has left out 11s. 6d. here. There are several other mistakes in different parts of the book.

iii<sup>li</sup> vi<sup>s</sup> yet to bee deducted therout ii<sup>s</sup> viii<sup>d</sup>  
ffor portage, soe there wilbee de claro - iii<sup>li</sup> ii<sup>s</sup> iii<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of iii<sup>li</sup> ii<sup>s</sup> iii<sup>d</sup> added to the  
fformer some of 197<sup>li</sup> 18<sup>s</sup> 6<sup>d</sup> it maketh the  
Stocke in the whole to be att Miclemas 1620 cci<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>

Out of which is to bee deducted ffor the In-  
cresse of the Masters wage xl<sup>s</sup> and to the  
Usher ffor his wage and ffor the yeare ended  
at Miclemas 1620 x<sup>li</sup> In toto - - - xij<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of xij<sup>li</sup> being deducted  
together with xii<sup>s</sup> iii<sup>d</sup> which is allowed for  
the Makeing of the Bonnds and writting the  
accountps out of the some of cci<sup>li</sup> i<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup> there  
will Remaine to bee put fforthe at Miclemas  
1620 - - - - - ciii<sup>xxix</sup> x<sup>li</sup> vii<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>

Michaelmas Daye 1620.

Memorandum that the daye and yeare above written it  
appeared to the Gouvernors upon the Casting of the accountps  
ffor the Schole Stocke that there is to bee put fforth the some  
of ciii<sup>xxix</sup> viii<sup>s</sup> vi<sup>d</sup>, the Bonnds ffor which Remaine In John  
Gelibronds hands and day is geven untill Sct. Thoms day  
next to showe unto the Gouvernors in what manner the Bonnds  
are Renewed, and howe the Stoke is put fforth.

|                      |                    |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| Thomas Walmsley.     | John Clayton.      |
| Thomas Southworth.   | Richard Walmisley. |
| Richard Osbaldeston. | John Gelibrond.    |
| John Morres.         |                    |

St Thomas Day 1620.

Memorandum that according to the order made upon  
Michalmas day last, John Gillibrand shewed to the Governors  
in what maner the stocke menceoned to be an ciii<sup>xxix</sup> x<sup>li</sup> vii<sup>s</sup>

vjd, parte of yt hath not beene payd, but the bonds forfeited, as will appeare hereafter, and parte of yt hath beene payd to his hands, and is putt forth agayne in manner as hereunder followeth.

The names of such as have renewed there bonds and payd there Interest.

|                    |   |   |   | Stock                                      | Int.                              |
|--------------------|---|---|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| James Walmsleye    | - | - | - | xxvli                                      | ls                                |
| Christofer Marsden | - | - | - | xxvli xiiij <sup>s</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup> | lj <sup>s</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup> |
| Edward Thorneley   | - | - | - | xli  | xx <sup>s</sup>                   |
| Alice Lussell      | - | - | - | xxli                                       | xls                               |
| John Edge          | - | - | - | xli  | xx <sup>s</sup>                   |
| John Nuttall       | - | - | - | xli  | xx <sup>s</sup>                   |
| Thomas Newton      | - | - | - | xli  | xx <sup>s</sup>                   |
| Richard Hayghton   | - | - | - | ixli x <sup>s</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup>      | xix <sup>s</sup>                  |
| Thomas Osbaldeston | - | - | - | vli  | x <sup>s</sup>                    |

Summa total : 125li 4<sup>s</sup> 8<sup>d</sup> 12li 10<sup>s</sup> 4<sup>d</sup>

Those persons followinge have neyther renewed nor payd Interest money which was payable att Michaelmas 1620.

|                                    |   |   |   |   |                                       |                 |
|------------------------------------|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|-----------------|
| Roberte Hutton                     | - | - | - | - | xxli                                  | xl <sup>s</sup> |
| Thomas Cowpe                       | - | - | - | - | xli                                   | xx <sup>s</sup> |
| Thomas ffishe                      | - | - | - | - | xli                                   | xx <sup>s</sup> |
| Rowland Houghton gen.              | - | - | - | - | xli                                   | xx <sup>s</sup> |
| Ellen Ward widowe without Interest | - | - | - | - | vli vi <sup>s</sup> viij <sup>d</sup> |                 |

The some of the stocke and Interest money  
of those that have renewed their Bonds is cxxxvijli xv<sup>s</sup>  
And of those that have not renewed their  
bonds - - - - - lxli vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

In toto 198li 1<sup>s</sup> 8<sup>d</sup>.

Edward Osbaldeston.  
John Talbott.  
Thomas Walmsley.  
John Clayton.

Rychard Lawe.  
John Morres vycar.  
Richard Osbaldeston.  
John Gelibrond.



Vicesimo nono die mensis Septembris 1621.

Memorandum that the daye and yeare aboue written it appeared to the Gouvernors upon Casting the accompts ffor the schole Stocke, that there is to bee putt fforth the some of 207<sup>li</sup> 16<sup>s</sup> 2<sup>d</sup>, The Bonndes ffor which Remaine, In John Gelibronds hands, and day is geven untill Saint Thomas Daye next to shoue unto the Gouvernors in what manner the Bonnds are Renewed, and how the stoke is putt fforth.

|                  |                     |
|------------------|---------------------|
| Thomas Walmsley. | John Gelibrond.     |
| John Clayton.    | Thomas Whaley.      |
| John Morres.     | Lawrence Ainsworth. |
| John Smythe.     | Rychard Lawe.       |

Saint Thomas Daye 1621.

The Stocke putt forthe, And Interest money owing by these persons ffollowing and payable at Miclemas 1622.

|                    |   |   |   |   |   |                          |
|--------------------|---|---|---|---|---|--------------------------|
| James Walmisley    | - | - | - | - | xxv <sup>li</sup>                                 | 1 <sup>s</sup>           |
| Richard Ward       | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>li</sup>                                  | xxxiijs iij <sup>d</sup> |
| James Bolton       | - | - | - | - | xiiij <sup>li</sup>                               | xxijs ix <sup>d</sup>    |
| Alis Lussell       | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>li</sup>                                  | x1 <sup>s</sup>          |
| John Edge          | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>          |
| Richard Haighton   | - | - | - | - | ix <sup>li</sup> x <sup>s</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup> | xix <sup>s</sup>         |
| Thomas Osbaldeston | - | - | - | - | v <sup>li</sup>                                   | x <sup>s</sup>           |

The persons above mencioned have Renewed their bonnds with good security.

|                    |   |   |   |   |                 |                 |
|--------------------|---|---|---|---|-----------------|-----------------|
| Edward Thorn[1]ley | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup> | xx <sup>s</sup> |
| John Nuttall       | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup> | xx <sup>s</sup> |
| Thomas Newton      | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup> | xx <sup>s</sup> |
| Thomas Cowpe       | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup> | xx <sup>s</sup> |
| Rowland Houghton   | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup> | xx <sup>s</sup> |

Thes persons haue not yett Renewed their bonnds, and tyme is geven by the Gouvernors, untill Candlemas next, ffor their Renewing, or els then to bee put in suit.

|               |   |   |   |   |   |   |                 |
|---------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|-----------------|
| Thomas ffishe | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup> |
| Robert Hutton | - | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>li</sup>                                  | xl <sup>s</sup> |
| Ellen Warde   | - | - | - | - | - | v <sup>li</sup> vj <sup>s</sup> viij <sup>d</sup> |                 |

Thes persons are not thought sufficient and their bonnds are now already put in suite.

Saint Thomas daye 1621.

Memorandum that the daye and yeare aboue written, It appeareth by the accountps before mencioned that the Stocke is 191<sup>li</sup> 4<sup>d</sup>, and the Interest money being xviii<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> id both somes payable at Miclemas 1622, And Certaine debts, being old Interest money, owing by Robert Hutton iij<sup>li</sup> by Thomas Cowpe xl<sup>s</sup>, and by Ellen ward x<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> Together with iij<sup>li</sup> is viij<sup>d</sup> Remaining In John Gelibronds hands, upon the ffoote of his accompte which is in the whole 219<sup>li</sup> 7<sup>s</sup> 9<sup>d</sup>.

John Talbott  
Tho Walmsley  
John Claytonn

John Morres  
Ric : Osbaldeston  
Richard Walmisley

Vicesimo nono die Septembris 1622.

Memorandum that daye is geven, untill St. Thomas daye next, unto John Gelibrond, to make it appeare unto the Governors, what the Stocke of the Schole is, And howe the Bonnds which ought to have bee paid this daye are Renewed and putt forth, And what Course is taken concerning the Bonnds that are put in suite :

Tho : Walmsley  
Tho. Walmsley  
John Morres

John Clayton  
John Gelibrond  
Ric. Lawe

xxi<sup>th</sup> of december anno dni 1622.

Memorandum that the daye and yeare aboue written, John Gelibrond did make accountp before the Gouvernors of the stocke of the Schole, and in what manner the same is put forth, as appears by the Bonnds now showed unto the Gouvernors, which Remains in John Gelibronds hands, the



particular of which accoumpts, and somes of money are here-  
after particularly written vidz.

|   |   |   |   |   |   | Stock   | Int.              |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|-------------------|
| Due at the Auditt iiij <sup>li</sup> iij <sup>s</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup> . |   |   |   |   |   |   |                   |
| James Walmisley   | - | - | - | - | - | xxv <sup>li</sup>                                 | l <sup>s</sup>    |
| Ric. Ward   | - | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>li</sup>                                  | xl <sup>s</sup>   |
| Henrie Bolton   | - | - | - | - | - | xiiij <sup>li</sup>                               | xxvj <sup>s</sup> |
| Edward Thorneley  | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>   |
| Alis Lussell  | - | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>li</sup>                                  | xl <sup>s</sup>   |
| Jo : Edge   | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>   |
| Jo : Nuttall  | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>   |
| Edward Walker   | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>   |
| Ric. Haighton   | - | - | - | - | - | ix <sup>li</sup> x <sup>s</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup> | xix <sup>s</sup>  |
| Wm. Whaley  | - | - | - | - | - | v <sup>li</sup>                                   | x <sup>s</sup>    |
| Nicholas Haworth  | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>   |
| Robt. Hutton  | - | - | - | - | - | xx <sup>li</sup>                                  | xl <sup>s</sup>   |
| Rowland Houghton  | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>   |
| Tho : Cowpe   | - | - | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>   |

Owing by Ellen Ward vij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>, ffor which is to be paid,  
at Three next miclemas dayes, equally, as apeareth by three  
several bonnds ffor payment of the same.

It appeareth this xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of Decembre 1622  
by all the accoumpts showed unto the  
Gouernors, being in the hands of John  
Gelibrond, That the Stocke money payable  
at Michlemas 1623 being 193<sup>li</sup> 14<sup>s</sup> 8<sup>d</sup>, And  
the Interest money then payable being  
18<sup>li</sup> 5<sup>s</sup>, And the debt owing by Robert  
Hutton, as in the said accompt is also  
mencioned being vij<sup>li</sup>, And the Tree valued  
to xiiij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> as in the said boocke of accompt  
Remaining with the said John Gelibrond is  
mencioned, Together with the—lvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>,  
In the hands of the said John Gelibrond as  
appeareth by his accompt, Together also  
with the iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup> disbursed in suit against  
Robert Hutton mencioned in the said  
Accoumpt is in the whole - - -

224<sup>li</sup> 13<sup>s</sup> 3<sup>d</sup>

John Gelibrond,



Memorandum it is agreed by the *Gouernors*, whose names are hereunder subscribed the same xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of December 1622, That there shalbee Allowed ffor the Renewing of the Bonnds, and writting the Boocke of Accompt yearly xx<sup>s</sup> to Roger Gelibrond.

It is lykewise ordered the same xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of December 1622, That if the money owing by John Nuttall bee not paid at Easter next, the same Bonnd shalbee putt in suite or ells bee Renewed with new suerties, such as shalbee thought ffit.

Raphe Assheton.  
Edward Osbaldeston.  
John Talbott.  
Thomas Walmsley.

Thomas Walmsley Jun.  
John Morres vycar.  
Rychard Lawe.

Secundo die Octobris 1623.

Memorandum That daye is geaven unto John Gelybrond untyll St. Thomas day next to make ytt appeare unto the governours, what the stocke of the schoole is, And howe the bonds which are to be payde this Daye are renewed and putt forthe, And that then electyon shalbe made of a new Schoole-master: And that foure wekes shalbe deteyned of the ten pounds due att Martenmass next unto Mr. Collynson\* our late deceased Schoolemaster to be disposed at the discretyon of the governours:

John Talbott.  
Thomas Walmsley.  
Radcliffe Assheton.  
Nicholas Grymshawe.  
George Talbott.  
John Clayton.

John Morres vycar.  
Richard Parker.  
James Whythalgh.  
Richard Lawe.  
John Gelibrond.

December the xxj<sup>th</sup> 1623.

Memorandum that the daye above written the *Gouernors* have ellected John Hargreaves Master of Artes to serve ffor

\* Mr. Thurstan Collinson died in the "plague" year, 1623 (Parish Register).

the Scholemaster of the ffree Schole of Blakeburn so long as the Governors shall like well of :

|                     |                      |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| Edward Osbaldeston. | John Claytonn.       |
| John Talbott.       | John Morres vycar.   |
| Thomas Walmsley.    | Richard Parker.      |
| Richard Sherburne.  | John Gelibrond.      |
| Thomas Walmsley.    | George Talbott.      |
| John Osbaldeston.   | Lawrence Aynsworthe. |
| Nicholas Grymshawe. | Rychard Lawe.        |
| Thomas Walmsley.    | James Whythalgh.     |

The xxj<sup>th</sup> December Anno Domino 1623.

The ffree Grammar Schole of queene Elizabeth in Blackeburne.

The accompte made by John Gelibrond to the Gouvernors of the same schole of the Stocke & Interest moneys of the same schole, And of the Imployment of the same, vidz :

Upon the makinge of the Boocke of accountpt the xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of Decembre 1622 Itt was ordered by the Gouvernors that lvjs vjd then Remaininge upon the floote of the same accompte, Should Remaine in the hands of John Gelibrond to be disburssed ffor the prosecutinge of suits in Law against Robert Hutton & others - - - - -

lvjs vjd

Interest money received at Michelmas 1623 then due to the same Schole vidz : at the Audit at Lancastre iiij<sup>li</sup> iijs iiij<sup>d</sup> of James Walmsley l<sup>s</sup>, of Richard Ward xl<sup>s</sup>, of Henrie Bolton xxvj<sup>s</sup> of Edward Thornley xx<sup>s</sup>, of Alice Lussell xl<sup>s</sup>, of John Edge xx<sup>s</sup>, of John Nuttall xx<sup>s</sup>, of Edward Walker xx<sup>s</sup>, of Richard Haighton xix<sup>s</sup>, of William Whalley x<sup>s</sup>, of Nicholas Haworth xx<sup>s</sup>, of Thomas Cowpe xx<sup>s</sup>, of Rowland Houghton gent. xx<sup>s</sup>, of Robert Croft iiij<sup>li</sup> ij<sup>s</sup> In toto - xxiiij x<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>  
 The whole some of both is - - - xxvj<sup>li</sup> vjs x<sup>d</sup>



Moneys disbursed out of the Tow seuerall somes last above  
mencioned as ensue vidz :

Paid to Mr. Abbott the Attorney in Hillarie  
Terme 1622 which was since the makinge of  
the Last accompte as appeareth by a note  
under his owne hand, ffor prosecuting of  
suits against Hutton & others xxxix<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>,  
ffor Charge of one person to Warton ffor  
Renewing of Huttons Bonnds ij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>, To  
Mr. Collinsone which he paid ffor mending  
the glasse windows, as appeareth by a note  
under his owne hand v<sup>s</sup>, To Mr. Collinsons  
executors xl<sup>s</sup>, To Mr. Braidley ffor his  
wage x<sup>li</sup>, ffor making the Boock of  
Accompte, and renewing the Bonnds xx<sup>s</sup>,  
In toto - - - - - xvli vijs vd

Soe now Remaineth of this yeares Interest  
money xli xix<sup>s</sup> vd, And is sett fforth as  
followeth vidz : To widow Dewhurst iiijli,  
To Robert Crofte iiijli ij<sup>s</sup>, To Thomas  
Whalley iiijli xix<sup>s</sup> vd In toto - - - xijli xvij<sup>d</sup>

The Stocke putt fforthe Interest money owing by these persons  
following & payable at Michaelmas 1624.

|   |       |                              |                   |
|---|-------|------------------------------|-------------------|
| The Audit money   | - - - | iiijli ijs iiij <sup>d</sup> |                   |
| James Walmsley  | - - - | xxvli                        | l <sup>s</sup>    |
| Henry Walmsley which was in the<br>hands of Richard Ward  | - -   | xxli                         | xl <sup>s</sup>   |
| Henrie Bolton   | - - - | xijli                        | xxvj <sup>s</sup> |
| Edward Thorneley  | - - - | xli                          | xx <sup>s</sup>   |
| Alice Lussell   | - - - | xxli                         | xl <sup>s</sup>   |
| John Edge   | - - - | xli                          | xx <sup>s</sup>   |
| John Nuttall  | - - - | vli                          | x <sup>s</sup>    |
| William Ireland which was in the<br>hands of John Nuttall | - -   | vli                          | x <sup>s</sup>    |
| Edward Walker   | - - - | xli                          | xx <sup>s</sup>   |



|                        |   |   |   |   |  |
|------------------------|---|---|---|---|--|
| Richard Haighton       | - | - | - | ix <sup>li</sup> x <sup>s</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup> | xix <sup>s</sup>                                       |
| William Whalley        | - | - | - | v <sup>li</sup>                                   | x <sup>s</sup>   |
| Nicholas Haworth       | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>  |
| Robert Crofte          | - | - | - | xxxiiij <sup>li</sup> viij <sup>s</sup>           | iiij <sup>li</sup> viij <sup>s</sup> viij <sup>d</sup> |
| Rowland Houghton gent. | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>  |
| Thomas Cowpe           | - | - | - | x <sup>li</sup>                                   | xx <sup>s</sup>  |

Elizabeth Dewhurst parcell of the

Interest money which came in

at Latter tymes - - - - vjs viij<sup>d</sup> iiij<sup>li</sup>

Thomas Whalley parcell of the

Interest money which came in

att latter tymes - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> vijs vj<sup>d</sup>

Ellen Ward - - - - xlvjs vj<sup>d</sup>

It appeareth this xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of Decembre 1623

—by all the accoumpts before mencioned,

That the Stocke money payable at Miclemas

1624 being ccxj<sup>li</sup> vjs, And the Interest

money then payable being xx<sup>li</sup> vs x<sup>d</sup>, And

Tow particular somes owing by Ellen Ward

vidz: the some of xlvjs xj<sup>d</sup>, which should

have beene paid at Miclemas 1623, And the

some of xlvjs xj<sup>d</sup> payable at Miclemas 1625

over & besides the some of xlvjs xj<sup>d</sup>, which

is above mencioned to be paid at Miclemas

1624, And the Tree valued to xiiij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> is in

the wholle - - - - - ccxxxviij<sup>li</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>

Received by John Gelibrond the xiiij<sup>th</sup> daye of

Novembre 1623 the half yeares Rent then

due ffrom ffarnehill x<sup>li</sup>, paid thereout to the

Executors of Mr. Collinsone vij<sup>li</sup> vjs viij<sup>d</sup>,

The Residue being liijs iiij<sup>d</sup> to bee disposed

of on Saint Thomas daye 1623 as the

Gouernors shall thinke Convenient, which

said liijs iiij<sup>d</sup> is paid to the usher by

thappointment of the Gouernors - - -

There is newlie Received at the Ellection of  
 younge Mr. Sherburne, & Mr. Walmisley  
 of Couldcotte the some of xxij<sup>s</sup> ffor them  
 both, which is to bee added to the some  
 above written both which somes are - - ccxxxviij<sup>li</sup>ij<sup>s</sup>ij<sup>d</sup>

Viiij<sup>o</sup> die Januarij Anno Domini 1624.

Memorandum that the daye above written, the Gouvernors  
 have Ellected Richard Halsted Master of Arts, to serve ffor  
 the Scholle master of the ffree Schole of Blackburne, So long  
 as the Gouvernors shall like well of.

|                           |                  |
|---------------------------|------------------|
| John Talbott.             | James Whythalgh. |
| Thomas Walmsley.          | George Talbott.  |
| Thomas Walmsley.          | John Gelibrond.  |
| John Morres vycar ibidem. | Rychard Lawe.    |
| Richard Haworth.          | Lawrence Gorton. |
| John Clayton.             |                  |

Memorandum that at an assemblie of the Gouvernors, upon  
 the xxij<sup>th</sup> daye of August 1625 William Seller Gyles Bolton  
 John Brocke gent. Henrie ffeilden Richard Harwood & George  
 Holden younger, were ellected Gouvernors of the said Schole,  
 & did euery one of them paye x<sup>s</sup>, which amounts

in Toto - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup>

And deliuered to Roger Gelibrond to bee accoumpted ffor.

Mr. John Clayton was ellected at the same tyme & did  
 paye xx<sup>s</sup>, ffor the which Roger Gelibrond is to  
 accoumpt for - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

|                           |                   |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| John Talbott.             | Richard Haworth.  |
| Thomas Walmsley.          | John Crosse.      |
| Thomas Walmsley Jun.      | Edward Gelibrond. |
| John Osbaldeston.         | Rychard Lawe.     |
| John Morres vicar : ibid. |                   |

The xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of December Anno Domini 1624.

The ffree Gramar Schole of queene Elizabeth in  
Blackburne.

The accountpt made by John Gelibrond, To the Gouvernors  
of the same Schole of the Stocke & Interest moneys, belonging  
to the same schole, & of the Imployment thereof

Upon the making of the boocke of accountpt  
the xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of December 1623, it then  
appeared that the stocke and Interest  
money was - - - - -

238<sup>li</sup> 2<sup>s</sup> 2<sup>d</sup>

Received at Pentecost & Martinmas 1624 by  
equall porcions, ffrom ffarnehill, being one  
wholle yeares rent due to the same ffree  
schole xx<sup>li</sup> And also Received of Interest  
moneys, At Miclemas 1624, vidz: at the  
Auditt iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, And also of James  
Walmisley 1<sup>s</sup>, & of Henrie Walmisley xl<sup>s</sup>,  
& of Henri Bolton xxvj<sup>s</sup>, & of Edward  
Thorneley xx<sup>s</sup>, of Alis Lussell xl<sup>s</sup>, of John  
Edge xx<sup>s</sup>, of John Nuttall x<sup>s</sup>, of William  
Ireland x<sup>s</sup>, of Edward Walker xx<sup>s</sup>, of Richard  
Haighton xix<sup>s</sup>, of William Whalley x<sup>s</sup>, of  
Thomas Cowpe xx<sup>s</sup>, of Thomas Whalley  
vijs vjd, And of Elizabeth Dewhurst vjs viij<sup>d</sup>,  
And also of Peter Edge which was promissed  
by him when he was elected Gouvernor x<sup>s</sup>

In toto - - - - - xxxix<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> vjd

Moneys disburssed out of the same some of xxxix<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> vjd  
as followeth vidz.

Paid to Mr. Hargreaves late Schole master,  
his wayge due at Pentecoste 1624, vij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>,  
To the usher of the same schole x<sup>li</sup>, paid ffor  
making the boocke of accountpt xx<sup>s</sup>, paid to  
Mr. Abbott ffor prosecuting of suits in Law  
against Nicholas Haworth & other Tow  
persons, being his Suerties As appeareth by



a Noate under Mr. Abbots hand xxvj<sup>s</sup>, paid  
 ffor portage of ffarnehill Rents to Blackburne  
 at Pentecost & Martinmas 1624 v<sup>s</sup>, paid ffor  
 making a new Schole dore, a Locke, Ceyes  
 & other Iron hinges about the same dore, ffor  
 making of window lids, & repairing the  
 Roffe xvj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>, As appeareth by a Noate of  
 particulars - - - - -  
 And ffor Repairing the Glasse windowes, &  
 ffor Gryping & mending the Schole wals,  
 vj<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>, In toto - - - - - xxj<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup>  
 By this accountt it appeareth that there  
 Remains yet in the hands of John Gelibrond,  
 in Ready money xviiij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup>, which is to  
 bee disposed of as the Gouvernors shall  
 thinke Convenient, debts owing vidz: By  
 Nicholas Haworth of Interest money due at  
 Michaelmas 1624 xx<sup>s</sup>, and ffor costs of suit  
 disbursed by Mr. Abbott as aforesaid  
 xxvj<sup>s</sup>, owing by Robert Crofte iiij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>  
 by Rowland Houghton gen xx<sup>s</sup>, by Ellen  
 Ward which was due at Miclmas 1623, &  
 at Miclmas 1624 iiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>, In toto - xxix<sup>li</sup> xviij<sup>s</sup> 1<sup>d</sup>

The Stocke money due to thuse of  
 the same Schole vidz:

|  | Stocke money onelie                                  |
|--|--|
| The Auditt money - - - - -   | iiij <sup>li</sup> iij <sup>s</sup> iij <sup>d</sup> |
| By James Walmisley - - - - -   | xv <sup>li</sup>                                     |
| By John Haworth of Heslingden which was<br>in the hands of James Walmisley - - | x <sup>li</sup>                                      |
| By Henrie Walmisley - - - - -  | xx <sup>li</sup>                                     |
| By Henrie Bolton - - - - -   | xiiij <sup>li</sup>                                  |
| By Edward Thorneley - - - - -  | x <sup>li</sup>                                      |
| By Alis Lussell - - - - -  | xx <sup>li</sup>                                     |
| By John Edge - - - - -   | x <sup>li</sup>                                      |
| By John Nuttall - - - - -  | v <sup>li</sup>                                      |

|                       |     |   |   |   |   |                                       |
|-----------------------|-----|---|---|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| By William Ireland    | -   | - | - | - | - | vli                                   |
| By Edward Walker      | -   | - | - | - | - | xli                                   |
| By Richard Haighton   | -   | - | - | - | - | ixli x <sup>s</sup> iiij <sup>d</sup> |
| By William Whalley    | -   | - | - | - | - | vli                                   |
| By Nicholas Haworth   | -   | - | - | - | - | xli                                   |
| By Robert Crofte      | -   | - | - | - | - | xxxiiijli viijs                       |
| By Rowland Houghton   | gen | - | - | - | - | xli                                   |
| By Thomas Cowpe       | -   | - | - | - | - | xli                                   |
| By Elizabeth Dewhurst | -   | - | - | - | - | iiijli                                |
| By Thomas Whalley     | -   | - | - | - | - | iiijli xix <sup>s</sup> vd            |
| And by Ellen Ward     | -   | - | - | - | - | xlvijs xjd                            |

It appeareth this xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of December 1624  
 by all the accoumpts before mencioned, That  
 the Stocke money is CCxijli viijs, over and  
 besids the Interest money, ffor the same not  
 yet stalled, ffor that it is Intended, that  
 Land should bee purchased with the same  
 stocke, Together with the some of xxixli  
 xvijs <sup>rd</sup>, owing & in Ready money as afore-  
 said, And the Tree valued to xiijs vjd, is  
 in the wholle - - - - - ccxliijli xix<sup>s</sup> vijd

xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1624.

It is ordered the daye abovesaid that Mr. Braidley &  
 Robert Smith shall have iiijli equally betweene them, ffor  
 theire extreordinarie pains, taken since Pentecost last, And  
 is to be paid out of the xviiijli viijs vjd, which is in the hands  
 of John Gelibrond & the Residue to Remaine in the hands of  
 the said John Gelibrond Till the Gouvernors take some other  
 Cource, And the Bonnds to be sued that are behind.

Edward Osbaldeston.  
 Tho. Walmsley.  
 Edward Gelybrand.  
 Richard Walmisley.  
 Peter Haworth.  
 Tho. Walmsley ju.

John Osbaldeston.  
 John Morres.  
 Ri: Haworth.  
 William Seller.  
 Ryc. Lawe.  
 Gyles Bolton.

Vicesimo primo Decembris 1625.

An accoumpte made by John Gelibrond of the Stocke, Interest & Auditt moneys Receaved & due to the free Gramar schole of queene Elizabeth in Blackbourne, at Miclmas Last, And of the disbursements of the same moneys so Received.

It appeareth by all the said Schole accoumpts before mencioned that the stocke, Interest, & Auditt moneys due at last Miclmas did amount unto the some of - - - - cclxvj<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vd

Receaved ffrom the Auditt iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, Receaved of James Walmisley xv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> of John Haworth x<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup>, of Henrie Walmisley xxij<sup>li</sup>, of Henrie Bolton xiiij<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup>, of Alice Lussell xxij<sup>li</sup>, of John Nuttall v<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>, of William Ireland v<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>, of Richard Haighton x<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, of William Whalley v<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>, of Nicholas Haworth xlvj<sup>s</sup>, of Robert Crofte xlj<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup>, of Thomas Cowpe xj<sup>li</sup>, of Elizabeth Dewhurst iiij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>s</sup>, of Thomas Whalley v<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> Receaved at the ellection of seven Gouvernors iiij<sup>li</sup> And xvij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup>, which did Remaine in Ready money in the hands of the said John Gelibrond, As appeareth by the last accoumpt. In toto - - - - cciiij<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup>

Moneys disbursed ffor the purchase of certeine lands and ffor other necessarie uses, To & ffor the use of the said schole vidz: Paid To the Usher & Robert Smith, by the Gouvernors appoinment iiij<sup>li</sup>, To Henrie Penny ffor going to Oxenforth xxv<sup>s</sup>, To Sir Humphrey Davenporth xx<sup>s</sup>, To Mr. Whit-



halghe the xxvii<sup>th</sup> of August xxx<sup>li</sup>, To Mr.  
Haworth ffor the Charge of the ffine, at  
Lancaster, And ffor his extreordinarie pains  
vj<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>, To the Usher ffor his yeare's wage  
x<sup>li</sup>, To Thomas Walmisley esquire xxiiij<sup>li</sup>  
xiijs, To Roger Gelibrond ffor making the  
boocke of Accoumpt xx<sup>s</sup>, To Mr. Abbott  
the Attorney xxx<sup>s</sup>, To Mr. Whithalghe\* the  
Eleventh of november last xliij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, To the  
said Mr. Whithalghe the xv<sup>th</sup> of november  
last xiiij<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>, In toto - - - - - cxxxv<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

And in Ready money vidz: In the hands of  
John Hayhurst servant to the said Thomas  
Walmisley esq, the some of lxviiij<sup>li</sup> ijs iiij<sup>d</sup>,  
And in the hands of Roger Gelibrond iiij<sup>s</sup>  
ix<sup>s</sup>, In toto - - - - - lxviiij<sup>li</sup> vijs i<sup>d</sup>

Money owing to the said Schole vidz: by  
Edward Thorneley xj<sup>li</sup>, By John Edge xj<sup>li</sup>,  
by Edward Walker xj<sup>li</sup>, by Nicholas  
Haworth xj<sup>li</sup>, by Rowland Houghton gen  
xij<sup>li</sup> ijs, And by Ellen Ward vij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>d</sup>, In toto lxiiij<sup>li</sup> ijs x<sup>d</sup>

Moneys owing by the said Gouvernors vidz :  
To Mr. Whithalghe\* at Michaelmas 1626  
lxvj<sup>li</sup> xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup>, And to Raphe Walkeden\*  
upon the third daye of Maye 1626, being all  
the purchasse money yet to paye liij<sup>li</sup> ijs,  
In toto - - - - - cxviiij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Soe it appeareth that after the debts (owing  
by the said Gouvernors) bee paid there  
will Remaine to bee putt fforth to thuse of  
the Schole (over & besids such ffine as will  
growe due ffor the said lands) & over &  
besids xxx<sup>s</sup> paid to Mr. Abbott which willbe

\* See pp. 75, 255, 256.

Repaide by such of the Creditors as are  
allready putt in suit the some of - - xij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> ijd

|                     |                    |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| Edward Osbaldeston. | Gyles Bolton.      |
| Tho. Walmsley.      | Tho : Walmsley Ju. |
| Richard Walmisley.  | John Osbaldeston.  |
| Edward Gelibrand.   | John Morres.       |
| Peter Haworth.      | Ri. Haworth.       |
| Ryc. Lawe.          | William Seller.    |

28th August 1625.\*

|  | l   | s  | d  |
|--|-----|----|----|
| Paid Mr. Whithalgh in part for the Schoole           |     |    |    |
| land in Mellor the some of - - - -                   | 30  | 00 | 00 |
| Paid him more 4 <sup>th</sup> ffeb: 1625 - - - -     | 39  | 00 | 4  |
| Paid him more 13 <sup>th</sup> Maij 1626 - - - -     | 20  | 00 | 00 |
| Paid him more att same tyme - - - -                  | 06  | 00 | 00 |
| Paid Raph Walkden in parte for the said land         | 51  | 00 | 00 |
|  | 146 | 00 | 4  |
| Paid more to the said Mr. Whithalgh for the          |     |    |    |
| said land 11 <sup>th</sup> Nouember 1626 - - - -     | 43  | 00 | 04 |
| Paid him more 15 <sup>th</sup> Nouember 1626 - - - - | 14  | 00 | 06 |
|  | 203 | 1  | 2  |

xxix die Septembris 1626.

An accoumpt made by John Gelibrond of all the moneys  
Received & due (To the ffree Gramar schole of queene  
Elizabeth in Blakburne) at this Miclmas 1626, And of the  
disburssments of the same moneys Received.

It appeareth by the accoumpt, made the xxix  
daye of December Last that there was in  
Ready money in the hands of John Hay-  
hurst servant to Thomas Walmisley esq,  
the some of lxviii<sup>li</sup> ijs iiij<sup>d</sup>, And in the hands  
of Roger Gelibrond in Ready money iiij<sup>s</sup>

\* The letter of attorney of the Governors to Roger Gellibrand, sealed and dated  
20 August 1625, and signed by 27 Governors, is extant. See p. 80.



ix<sup>d</sup>, And that there was owing by these persons following being then due, vidz: by Edward Thorneley xj<sup>li</sup>, by John Edge xj<sup>li</sup>, by Edward Walker xj<sup>li</sup>, by Nicholas Haworth xj<sup>li</sup>, by Rowland Houghton xij<sup>li</sup> ijs, And by Ellen Ward vij<sup>li</sup>, And also by these persons following being Interest money due ffor part of such the afore named somes, as came not in at their daye vidz: by the said Edward Thorneley xx<sup>s</sup>, by the said Edward Walker xx<sup>s</sup>, by the said Nicholas Haworth xv<sup>s</sup>, And by Rowland Houghton xxijs, And also due this xxix<sup>th</sup> of September 1626, ffrom the Auditt iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, And moneys also due to the same schole not mencioned in that accoumpt vidz: by Ellen Halsted xj<sup>li</sup>, due ffor the fine of certeine lands latlie purchased to thuse of the same schole, And by the said Ellen Halsted x<sup>li</sup>, being one yeares rent, due at Candlmas Last for the same lands,  
In toto - - - - -

clx<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> vd

Moneys Receaved vidz: ffrom the Audit iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, of John Hayhurst lxxvij<sup>li</sup> ijs iiij<sup>d</sup>, of Roger Gelibrond iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>, of Edward Thorneley xij<sup>li</sup>, of Ellen Halsted xxj<sup>li</sup>, of John Edge xj<sup>li</sup>, of Nicholas Haworth xj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup>, And of Edward Walker x<sup>li</sup>, In toto - cxxxvij<sup>li</sup> vs vd

Moneys disburssed vidz: paid to Rauf Walkeden l<sup>li</sup> ijs, To Mr. Whithalghe the iiij of februarie 1625 xxxix<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, To the said Mr. Whithalghe the xij<sup>th</sup> of Maye 1626 xx<sup>li</sup>, To Thomas Turner by Mr. Whithalghe's appointment vj<sup>li</sup>, being last of all the purchasse money, To the usher being



his yeares stipend x<sup>li</sup>, And ffor writting the  
accoumpts xx<sup>s</sup>, In toto - - - - cxxvij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Soe now it appeareth that there is Remaining  
to bee dispossed of, as the Gouvernors shall  
thinke ffit, vidz: In Readie money in the  
hands of Roger Gelibrond xj<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> id, And  
owing vidz: by Edward Walker xl<sup>s</sup>, by  
Rowland Houghton xiiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup>, against which  
said Walker & Rowland Houghton there  
there is a judgment, And also owing by  
Ellen Ward vij<sup>li</sup>, And also xxx<sup>s</sup> not men-  
tioned in this accoumpt which is in Mr.  
Abbotts hands, and to bee Repaid by such  
of the Creditors as are putt in suite, In toto xxxiiiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> id

Memorandum that there is about vj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> owing to Mr. Abbott  
ffor prosecuting of certeine suits against some of the Schole  
debtors, yet wee presume that the same wilbee paid by the  
said debtors, And if it otherwise happen the same charges  
are to bee taken out of the moneys aboue mencioned.

And whereas there is vij<sup>li</sup> owing by Ellen  
Ward, which is taken to bee a desperatt  
Debte, And that being deducted, then the  
some in stocke is - - - - - xxvij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> id

And whereas the Masters Wage is xx<sup>li</sup>, yet notwithstanding  
the Gouvernors have thought fitt to allow the said Master  
xl<sup>s</sup> this yeare to bee taken out of the stocke, And so to  
continue so long as the Gouvernors thinke fitt, & noe longer.

Edward Osbaldeston.

John Osbaldeston.

Richard Walmisley.

Edward Gelybrand.

Peter Haworth.

Ryc. Lawe.

Gyles Bolton.

Tho: Walmsley.

Tho. Walmsley Ju.

John Morres.

Richard Haworth.

William Seller.

xxj<sup>mo</sup> Die Decembris 1626.

An account made by John Gelibrond of the Stocke & Interest moneys, Setled (ffor thuse of the Schole in Blackburne) since Miclmas last, and of certeine disburssments of some moneys.

It appeareth by the account made the xxix<sup>th</sup> daye of September last that there was in Ready money in the hands of Roger Gelibrond xj<sup>li</sup> iijs 1<sup>d</sup>, And that there was owing by these persons ffollowinge, being then due vidz: by Edward Walker xl<sup>s</sup>, by Rowland Houghton gen xij<sup>li</sup> iijs, by Ellen Ward vij<sup>li</sup>, And also xxx<sup>s</sup> Remaining in Mr. Abbotts hands, And to bee Repaired, by such of the Creditors as were then putt in suite, In toto - - - - - xxxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvjs jd

Moneys disburssed since the said xxix<sup>th</sup> daye of September last, vidz: paid to Mr. Halsted the schole Mr., by the Gouvernors appointment xl<sup>s</sup>, paid to Mr. Abbott more for prosecuting the suit against Walker vjs vjd, (soe that now there is not any thing owing to Mr. Abbott ffor prosecuting of suits at Instance of the Gouvernors) paid to the Bailiffes ffor theire great diligence in arrestinge John Walmisley, who was suertie for Mr. Rowland Houghton, ijs, And letten to Thomas Whalley ffor use viij<sup>li</sup>, In toto - - - - - xli ix<sup>s</sup> vjd



Soe now there Remaineth  
 due to the same ffree  
 schole vidz in Readie  
 money in the hands of  
 Roger Gelibrond xiijs vijd,  
 And owing vidz: by  
 Edward Walker lxxvijs  
 vjd, which last mencioned  
 some was paid to Mr.  
 Abbott as afore is men-  
 tioned in two seuerall plac  
 of this accoumpt, And  
 owing by Richard Bostocke  
 of Preston xiiijli iiij<sup>s</sup> (being  
 all the debte & stocke  
 which Rowland Houghton  
 gent. did latlie owe unto  
 the said schole) And  
 owing more by the said  
 Richard Bostocke x<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>,  
 being Interest due ffor the  
 the same stocke ffrom  
 Miclmas last, ffor six  
 moneths then ffollowinge,  
 Owing by Thomas Whalley  
 viijli (being part of that  
 which was in the hands of  
 Roger Gelibrond at Micl-  
 mas last) And owing more  
 by the said Thomas  
 Whalley x<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup> being  
 interest due ffor the same  
 betweene Anderstide last,  
 & Miclmas next In toto

xxvjli xvjs vijd

xxxiiijli xvjs vijd

And also owing by Ellen  
 Ward, which the Gouvernors  
 take to bee somewhat  
 desparett the some of

vijli both  
 which are



|                     |                      |
|---------------------|----------------------|
| Edward Osbaldeston. | Gyles Bolton.        |
| John Osbaldeston.   | Thomas Walmsley.     |
| Richard Walmsley.   | Thomas Walmsley Jun. |
| Edward Gelybrand.   | John Morres.         |
| Peter Haworth.      | Richard Haworth.     |
| Rychard Lawe.       | William Seller.      |

xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1627.

The ffree Gramer Schole of queene Elizabeth in  
Blackburne.

An account made by John Gelibrond, To the Gouvernors  
of the same Schole, of the stocke Interest, Auditt moneys,  
And of the Rent Receaved for the Schole land at Shorrocke  
greene in Mellor, And of the Employment of the same vidz :

It appeareth by the account  
made the xxi<sup>th</sup> daye of  
December 1626 That there  
was in Readie money in  
the hands of Roger Geli-  
brond xiijs vijd, And that  
there was owing by these  
persons followinge, being  
due to the same Schole  
vidz, By Edward Walker  
iiij<sup>li</sup> xvijs vjd, by Richard  
Bostocke xiiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>  
and by Thomas Whalley  
viiij<sup>li</sup> xs xd, in toto - -

xxvj<sup>li</sup> xvjs vijd

33<sup>li</sup> 16<sup>s</sup> 7<sup>d</sup>

And also owing by Ellen  
Ward - - - - vij<sup>li</sup> both which  
somes are

Moneys Receaved vidz : of Roger Gelibrond  
the aforesaid some of xiijs vijd Receaved  
of Richard Bostocke the xxvij<sup>th</sup> of Apprill  
1627 the aforesaid some of xiiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>,  
Receaved of Mr. Houghton the some of x<sup>li</sup>,  
being one wholle yeares rent due ffor the  
same Schole land in Mellor aforesaid, And  
Receaved ffrom the Auditt iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup>, iiij<sup>d</sup>,

The other Creditors did not pay any use,  
 but Added the same to the stocke, In toto  
 Received - - - - - xxvii<sup>li</sup> xi<sup>s</sup> vii<sup>d</sup>  
 Moneys Disburssed vidz: letten to Ellis Ashe  
 upon the xvij<sup>th</sup> daye of Aprill 1627 for  
 use, the said xiiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> viii<sup>d</sup>, which was  
 Receaved of Richard Bostocke, Paid to the  
 usher x<sup>li</sup>, for his yeares wage, Paid to the  
 Schole Master, by the Gouvernors appoint-  
 ment x<sup>li</sup> In toto - - - - - xxv<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> vii<sup>d</sup>  
 Soe now there Remaineth  
 due to the same ffree  
 Schole vidz: In Readie  
 money in the hands of  
 Roger Gelibrond lv<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup>  
 And owing vidz: by Ed-  
 ward Walker iij<sup>li</sup> xvi<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>,  
 And also owing by the  
 said Edward Walker vj<sup>s</sup>  
 being Interest due for the  
 same, Owing by Ellis  
 Ashe xiiij<sup>li</sup> vs viiij<sup>d</sup>, And  
 also owing by the said  
 Ellis Ashe xxi<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> being  
 Interest due ffor the same  
 And owing by Thomas  
 Whalley viij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> xd, And  
 owing also by the said  
 Thomas Whalley xii<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>  
 In toto - - - - -  
 And also owing by Ellen  
 Ward which is taken to  
 bee somewhat despartet the  
 old some of - - - vij<sup>li</sup> both which  
 some are

xxxj<sup>li</sup> xi<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup>38<sup>li</sup> 12<sup>s</sup> 3<sup>d</sup>

Memorandum that wee whose names are  
 hereunder written being Gouvernors are  
 Contented that Roger Gelibrond shall haue  
 x<sup>s</sup> for making the accoumpts, and to bee



taken out of the lvjs xjd being in Ready  
money, Soe then there Remaineth in Readie  
money xlvjs xjd, And then the Stocke is in  
toto - - - - -

John Talbott.

John Morres.

Edward Gelibrond.

38<sup>li</sup> 2<sup>s</sup> 3<sup>d</sup>

Thomas Walmsley.

Rychard Lawe.

xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1628.

The ffree Gramer Schole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackburne.

An accompte made by John Gelibrond to the Gouvernors  
of the same Schole of the Stocke, Interest, Auditt moneys,  
and of the Rent Receaved ffor the Schole land, at Shorrocke  
Greene in Mellor, And of the Imployment of the same, vidz :

It appeareth by the Accompt  
made the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December  
1627 That there was in  
Readie money in the hands  
of Roger Gelibrond xlvjs  
xjd, And that there was  
owing, by these persons  
followinge being due to  
the same Schole vidz : By  
Edward Walker iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup>  
vj<sup>d</sup>, by Ellis Ashe xv<sup>li</sup> vij<sup>s</sup>  
xd And by Thomas Whal-  
ley ix<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup>, In toto -

xxxj<sup>li</sup> ijs iij<sup>d</sup>

xxxviiij<sup>li</sup> ijs iij<sup>d</sup>

And also owing by Ellen

Ward - - - - vij<sup>li</sup> both which  
somes are

Moneys Receaved vidz : of Roger Gelibrond  
the said xlvjs xjd, Receaved of Edward  
Walker the said iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>, And also  
Receaved of the said Walker ijs being use  
due ffor part of the said some, between  
Miclmas 1627, And the xxx<sup>th</sup> of Maye  
1628, Receaved of Mr. Houghton x<sup>li</sup>, being  
one wholle yeares Rent, due ffor the same  
Schole land in Mellor aforesaid, And also



Receaved ffrom the Auditt  $\text{iiij}^{\text{li}}$   $\text{iijs}$   $\text{iiij}^{\text{d}}$ ,  
 The other Creditors did not pay any use,  
 butt Added use to use to the said stocke In  
 toto Receaved - - - - -

$\text{xxli}$   $\text{xv}^{\text{s}}$   $\text{ix}^{\text{d}}$

Money disburssed vidz: Letten to Robert  
 Cunliffe for use upon the Thirtieth of Maye  
 1628, As well the some of  $\text{iiij}^{\text{li}}$   $\text{vs}$   $\text{vj}^{\text{d}}$  which  
 was Receaved of Edward Walker, As also  
 the some of  $\text{xlvs}$   $\text{xj}^{\text{d}}$ , which did Remaine  
 in the hands of Roger Gelibrond, Paid to  
 the usher  $\text{xli}$ , being his yeares stypend, Paid  
 to the Schole Master, by the Gouvernors  
 appointment  $\text{xls}$ , Paid for making the  
 Accoumpts  $\text{x}^{\text{s}}$ , In toto - - - - -

$\text{xixli}$   $\text{ijs}$   $\text{vd}$

Soe now there Remaineth  
 due to the same Schole  
 vidz: In Readie money in  
 the hands of Roger Geli-  
 brond  $\text{xxxiijs}$   $\text{iiij}^{\text{d}}$  And  
 owing vidz: By Robert  
 Cunliffe the said some of  
 $\text{vjli}$   $\text{xij}^{\text{s}}$   $\text{vd}$ , And also owing  
 by the said Cunliffe  $\text{xiiij}^{\text{s}}$   
 $\text{vij}^{\text{d}}$ , being Interest for the  
 same, betweene the  $\text{xxx}^{\text{th}}$   
 of Maye 1628 and Micl-  
 mas 1629, Owing by the  
 said Ellis Ashe  $\text{xvli}$   $\text{vijs}$   $\text{xd}$ ,  
 And also owing by the  
 said Ellis Ashe  $\text{xxiiij}^{\text{s}}$   $\text{vij}^{\text{d}}$ ,  
 being Interest due for the  
 same, And owing by the  
 said Thomas Whalley  $\text{ixli}$   
 $\text{iijs}$ , And also owing by  
 the said Thomas Whalley  
 $\text{xiiij}^{\text{s}}$   $\text{iiij}^{\text{d}}$  In toto - - -

$\text{xxxvli}$   $\text{xjs}$

$\text{xliijli}$   $\text{xjs}$

And also owing by Ellen

Ward - - - - -  $\text{vijli}$  both which  
 somes are

xxij of December 1628.

Memorandum that at an assemblie of the Gouvernors the daie aboue said John Talbott esquire, and Richard Shuttworth esquire were ellected Gouvernors, And are to be assessed to paye for there ellections such some or somes of money as shalbee thought fitt, by the Gouvernors.

Memorandum that at the same assemblie of the said Gouvernors, Mr. Bolton vicar of Blackburne was ellected Gouvernor without paying any money.

Memorandum that at the same assemblie of the said Gouvernors, Adam Morte\* and John Talbott gentlemen were ellected Gouvernors and did paye eyther of them x<sup>s</sup>, which Twentie shillings was deliuered Into the hands of Roger Gelibrond to bee accounted for.

xxij of December 1628.

Memorandum It doth appeare by all the accoumpts before mencioned that there doth Remaine in the hands of Roger Gelibrond vidz: the said some of xxxiijs iiijd, and the some of xx<sup>s</sup>, being in the wholle, liijs iiijd, out of which money there must bee taken, ffor Repairing the same Schole by the Consent of the Gouvernors.

John Talbott.

Thomas Maire.

Richard Haworth.

John Clayton.

Thomas Walmsley Jun.

John Osbaldeston.

Adam Bolton vic.

John Brooke.

Adam Morte.

Memorandum that the said xxij<sup>th</sup> of December 1628, Thomas Maire gent was ellected Gouvernor and did paye x<sup>s</sup>, for his ellection, which x<sup>s</sup>, was deliuered to the said Roger Gelibrond to bee accounted ffor, And is to bee added to the liijs iiijd, soe now there is in the hands of Roger Gelibrond the some of iijli iijs iiijd.

Thomas Walmsley Jun.

John Talbott.

John Osbaldeston.

Richard Haworth.

John Brooke.

Adam Bolton vic.

Adam Morte.

\* Adam Morte, royalist, Mayor of Preston, was killed in an assault made upon that town, from Blackburn, on Feb. 9, 1642-3.



xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1629.

The free Gramer Schole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackburne.

An Account made by Roger Gelibrond, To the Governors  
of the same Schole of the Stocke, Interest, Audit and other  
moneys, And ffor the Rent Receaved for the Schole Land,  
Att Shorrocke greene in Mellor, And of the Imployment of  
the same vidz :

It appeareth by the account made the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December 1628, That there  
was in Ready Money in  
the hands of Roger Geli-  
brond xxxiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, And  
that there was owing by  
these persons followinge,  
being due to the same  
Schole vidz : by Robert  
Cunliffe vij<sup>li</sup> vij<sup>s</sup>, by Ellis  
Ashe xvj<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>, And by  
Thomas Whalley ix<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup>  
iiij<sup>d</sup> In toto - - -

xxxv<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup>

xlij<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup>

And also owing by Ellen  
Ward - - -

vij<sup>li</sup> both which  
somes are

Moneys Receaved vidz : Att the Ellections of  
Mr. Morte Master Maire and Mr. Talbott  
de Carr, when they were Ellected Gouernors  
xxx<sup>s</sup>, Receaved of Mr. Houghton x<sup>li</sup>, being  
one whole yeares Rent, due for the same  
Schole Land in Mellor aforesaid, Receaved  
from the Auditt iiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, Receaved of  
Ellis Ashe, being all the money due by him  
to the same schole, the some of xvj<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>,  
And also the xxxiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> Remaining in the  
hands of the said Roger Gelibrond, by the  
said last accountps, The other Creditors  
did not paye any use, butt Added the use to  
the said stocke In toto Receaved - - - xxxiiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> jd



Moneys disbursed vidz: Letten to Richard Reade & Robert Land for use the some of xj<sup>li</sup>, Paid to the usher x<sup>li</sup>, Paid to the Schole Master xl<sup>s</sup>, Paid to Henrie Abbott for pointing, plastering, and beam-filling the schole house, by Peter Haworth & Richard Laws appointment xxxj<sup>s</sup>, And ffor making the Schole Accoumpts x<sup>s</sup>, In toto -

xxv<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup>

Soe now there Remaineth due to the same schole vidz: In Ready money in the hands of Roger Gelibrond viij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup>, And owing vidz: by Richard Reade, and Robert Lande, the said some of xj<sup>li</sup>, And also owing by them the said Richard Reade and Robert Lande xvij<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup>, being Interest due ffor the same; Owing by the said Robert Cunlife vij<sup>li</sup> vij<sup>s</sup>, And also owing by the said Roberte Cunlife xj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> being Interest due ffor the same, for one wholle yeare, Owing by the said Thomas Whalley ix<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup>, And also owing by the said Thomas Whalley xv<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>, being Interest due for the same for one wholle yeare, in toto - - -

xxxix<sup>li</sup> vij<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup>

xlvj<sup>li</sup> vij<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup>

And also owing by the said Ellen Ward - - -

vij<sup>li</sup> both which  
somes are

John Talbott.  
Peter Edge.  
Thomas Walmsley.

Adam Bolton vic.  
William Seller.  
Gyles Bolton.

Memorandum that upon the xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of December 1629 Roger Gelibrond gave over making the Schole accoumpts, And the same was undertaken by Richard Talbott gent., servant to Thomas Walmsley Esq., And att the same tyme there was deliuered, by the said Roger Gelibrond unto the said Richard Talbott, All the bonnds in the hands of the said Roger Gelibrond, with which hee was Chargable, And also all the Ready money in the hands of the said Roger, wherewith hee was Chargable vidz: these Bonnds followinge, one Bonnde of Richard Reade & others, for payment of xj<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup>, Att Miclmas 1630, one other bonnd of Thomas Whalley & others, for payment of x<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup>, Att the said Miclmas 1630, And also one other Bonnd of Robert Cunlife & others for payment of vij<sup>li</sup> vij<sup>s</sup>, Att Miclmas last past 1629 which bonnd is forfeited, And ffor which use must bee expected for the tyme since the forfeiture, And also Three other bonnds by Ellen Ward & others forfeited for vij<sup>li</sup>, In toto, Conteyned in the Three seuerall condicions of the said bonnds, And also Receaved by the said Richard Talbott of the said Roger Gelibrond the some of viij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup>, being all the money wherewith the said Roger Stood Charged, Soe it appeares the said Richard Talbott stands Charged with good bonnds vidz: besides Ellen Wards to the some of xxix<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup>, And with Readie money the some of viij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup>, In toto xxxviij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>, And the bonnds of the said Ellen Ward being vij<sup>li</sup>, Added to the fformer makes the some in the wholle, ouer

& besides the use expected from Robert  
Cunliffe - - - - - xlvli xvjs viij<sup>d</sup>

These bonnds & moneys aboue mencioned  
Receaved by me

Richard Talbott.

John Talbott.

William Seller.

Thomas Walmsley.

Gyles Bolton.

Adam Bolton vic.

Peter Edge.

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1630.

The free Gramer Schole of Queene  
Elizabeth in Blackborne. . .

The accounte made by Richarde Talbott to the Gouvernors  
of the same schole of the stocke, Interest and other monyes  
Receaved, by the said Richarde for the use of the said  
Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

Item it appeares by the account mayde by

Roger Gillibrande the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December  
1629, that the said Roger deliuered to the  
hands of the said Richarde Talbott in  
Ready money the some of viijli xvijjs jd.  
And alsoe deliuered unto him in good bonds  
the some whereof Contened in the Condictions  
and due to bee payed at Mychalmas 1630,  
did amount to the some of xxixli xvijjs vij<sup>d</sup>  
besides the Interest of Robarte Cunlife  
bonde beinge forfeited xjs ij<sup>d</sup>. And also the  
iij bonds of Elin Warde beinge vijli in all - xlvjli vijjs x<sup>d</sup>

Out of which said some of xlvjli vijjs x<sup>d</sup> deducte  
the iij bonds of Elin Warde beinge viijli and  
Remaininge forfeited and then the some of  
the good bonds and Ready money deliuered  
to the hands of the said Richarde doe



amount to xxxix<sup>li</sup> vijs<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup> which some was  
 Receaved by the said Richarde at Mychalmas  
 last beinge - - - - - xxxix<sup>li</sup> vijs<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>

Receaved, of Mr. Thomas Houghton alsoe,  
 beinge the whole yeares Rent due for the  
 same Schole land in Mellor aforesaid the some x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
 to bee Receaved vidz: In Ready money  
 bonds, and Interest over and aboue the  
 bonds of Ellin Warde beinge xxxix<sup>li</sup> vijs<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>  
 and x<sup>li</sup> Receaved, for the Schole lands,  
 makes the some of this Recepte. In toto, to be xlix<sup>li</sup> vijs<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Recepte of xlix<sup>li</sup> vijs<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup> Receaved by the said  
 Richarde Talbott, there haith beene disbursed as hereafter  
 followes:

Item payed to the usher, to make up the Auditt  
 money beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> iijs<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> the some of x<sup>li</sup>  
 beinge due to him for his wages, I say payed  
 to the said usher the some of - - - vli xvjs<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item payed to the Schole Master beinge yearlie  
 allowed unto him out of the schole stocke  
 the some of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item disbursed for Mossinge the Schole - - - x<sup>s</sup> vjd

Item allowed the said Richarde Talbott for  
 making the Schole accounts - - - x<sup>s</sup>

Which seuerall somes of disbursements, vidz :  
 vli xvjs<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> and of ij<sup>li</sup> and of x<sup>s</sup> vjd and  
 x<sup>s</sup> doe amount in the whole to - - - viij<sup>li</sup> xvijs<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of disbursements beinge  
vii<sup>li</sup> xvijs ijd deducked out of the whole  
some of Receptes afore mencioned beinge  
xlix<sup>li</sup> vijs xd and then there Remaineth de  
Claro, the some of - - - - - xlii xs viijd

Which said some of xlii xs viijd is Employed  
as hereafter followeth vidz : lent to William  
Lickas till the vij<sup>th</sup> of february 1630 the  
printipall some of viij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> jd lent to  
Robarte Cunlife till Mychalmas 1631 the  
printipall some of vij<sup>li</sup> vijs lent Richarde  
Reade till Mychalmas 1631 the printipall  
some of xj<sup>li</sup> Item lent Thomas Whaley till  
Mychalmas 1631 the printipall some of xli  
Item lent Roger Warde till the xxx<sup>th</sup> day of  
October 1631 the printipall some of iij<sup>li</sup> vs vijd  
all which said printipall somes amount to  
the said some of - - - - - xlii xs viijd

Alsoe the last some aboue mencioned of  
xlii xs viijd beinge all the money the said  
Richarde Talbott standeth Charged with  
all in good bonds and Ready money, is lent  
forth as is aboue written. And it appears  
that the Interest thereof, to be Receaved, att  
and before the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1631  
will amount to - - - - - iij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> jd

Which two somes last aboue mencioned vidz :  
xlii xs viijd beinge mencioned to be the  
printipall, and lent forth. And the iij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> jd  
beinge Interest to be Receaved, for the  
money lent forth, beinge boith added  
together, will make the whole stocke of the  
Schole, in good bonds, and Ready money  
att the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1631, to be in  
all just - - - - - xliij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>



Besides the iij bonds of Ellin Wards which  
still lie forfeited, in Richarde Talbottshands  
and is the some of - - - - - vijli

|                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| John Talbott.     | John Clayton.    |
| Thomas Walmsley.  | Adam Morte.      |
| John Osbaldeston. | Henrie ffeilden. |
| Adam Bolton vic.  | Peter Edge.      |

Memorandum that this xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1630 Richard Talbott gave over makinge the schole accounts, And the governors did committ the same to Adam Boulton, servant to Sir Thomas Walmsley knight, who now standeth Charged with the same account, and is allowed xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup> pro and for makinge the same account. Att which tyme it was ordered that the Master should have xx<sup>s</sup> Added to his wages soe longe as the governors shall thinke fitt.

And alsoe the said xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1630 There was an Elleccion of gouernors, vidz: Sir Alexander Raitliffe if he please. And also Mr. John Answorth Esq., Mr. Raphe Livesey, Mr. Edwarde Rishton of Michelheyes, which three last named have payd x<sup>s</sup> a peece into the hands of me Adam Boulton. Whereof paid to the Master the same tyme xx<sup>s</sup> beinge the money added to his wages as aboue saide.

There is allsoe elected the same tyme Mr. Thomas Astley if he please to accept of it, & send his x<sup>s</sup> to Adam Boulton, who is the Scholes accountant.

|                   |                  |
|-------------------|------------------|
| John Talbott.     | John Clayton.    |
| Thomas Walmsley.  | Adam Morte.      |
| John Osbaldeston. | Peter Edge.      |
| John Ainsworth.   | Edward Rishton.  |
| Raphe Lyuesey.    | Henrie ffeilden. |

Memorandum that the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1630  
Att an assembly of the gouernors wee did ellecte



Roger Gillibrande of Beardwood, gouvernor, in  
Respect of his former service done for the said  
Schole.

John Talbott.

Thomas Walmsley.

John Osbaldeston.

Adam Bolton vic.

Adam Morte.

Gyles Bolton.

Raphe Lyvesey.

December the xxj<sup>th</sup> 1631.

The free Grammer Schole of queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborn.

An account mayde by Adam Boultonn to the Gouvernors  
of the saide Schole of the stocke, Interest and other moneys,  
Receaved by the said Adam, for the use of the said Schole,  
and of the Employment of the same.

It appeares by the account mayde by Richarde  
Talbott the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1630, that the  
said Richard deliuered to the hands of the  
said Adam Boultonn, In good Bonds the  
some of xliij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the  
Condicions mencioned in the said account  
vids: the some of xli<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> being printi-  
pall mony, and the some of iiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> jd  
beinge Interest money, as lickwyse Re-  
ceaved the same day at the Eleccion of iiij  
Gouvernors xxx<sup>s</sup> vidz: of John Ainsworth  
esquire x<sup>s</sup> of Mr. Raphe Livesey x<sup>s</sup> and of  
Mr. Edwarde Rishton x<sup>s</sup> all which said  
somes Amounts to - - - - - xlv<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Receaved also of Mr. Thomas Houghton,  
beinge the whole yeares Rent due for the  
same Schole land in Mellor the some of -

x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to be Receaved, vids: in good bonds for  
printipall and Interest xliij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> Re-  
ceaved, att the Eleccion of iij gouernors xxx<sup>s</sup>  
And Receaved, for the Schole land x<sup>li</sup> all  
which said somes Amounts to - - - lv<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receipts of lv<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> Receaved, by the  
said Adam Boultonn, there haith beene disburssed as  
followeth.

Imprimis giuen the Schole Master by Concent  
of the Gouernors at the Eleccion, of the  
aforesaid gentillmen, which is to be added  
to the Masters yearelie Allowance, duringe  
the said Gouernors pleasure the some of - xx<sup>s</sup>

Item payed to the usher to make up the  
Auditt money beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> the some  
of x<sup>li</sup> beinge due to him for his wages, the  
some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item payed to the Schole Master this Mychal-  
mas 1631, beinge yearly allowed him,  
duringe pleasure out of the Schole stocke  
Just - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam Boultonn, by  
Concent of the Gouernors, for makinge the  
Schole Accounts - - - - - xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

All which severall somes of disbursments  
vids: of xx<sup>s</sup> and of v<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> and of  
iiij<sup>li</sup> and of xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> amounts to - - x<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>

Which said somes of disbursments beinge x<sup>li</sup>  
x<sup>s</sup> deducked out of the whole some of lv<sup>li</sup>  
iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> And then there Remaineth de Claro,  
the some of - - - - - xliiiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>



Which said some of xliiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> is Im-  
 ployed as hereafter followeth vids: lent to  
 William Lickas of oullerton untill the vij<sup>th</sup>  
 of februarye 1631, the printipall some of  
 viij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> jd. Item lent Thomas Ryley of  
 Chatborne till the xj<sup>th</sup> of October 1632, the  
 printipall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Richarde  
 Reade till Mychalmas 1632, the printipall  
 some of xj<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Thomas Whaley  
 till Mychalmas 1632, the printipall some of  
 x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Roger Warde till the xxx<sup>th</sup>  
 day of October, 1632, the printipall some of  
 iij<sup>li</sup> vs vij<sup>d</sup> all which somes amount to - xliij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xliij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> lent forthe,  
 beinge deduckedt out of the some of xliiij<sup>li</sup>  
 xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> aboue mencioned to be Remaininge  
 de Claro And there Remanes in the hands  
 of the said Adam, in Ready mony, over  
 and aboue the mony lent forth, the some of xxxj<sup>s</sup> jd

Alsoe the mony lent forth being xliij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup>  
 viij<sup>d</sup> it appeareth that the Interest, thereof  
 to be Receaved, at and before the first day  
 of Nouember, 1632, will Amount to the  
 some of - - - - - iij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Which three somes last aboue mencioned,  
 vids: xliij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> beinge mencioned to  
 be lent forth; And of xxxi<sup>s</sup> jd mencioned to  
 be in Adam Boultons hands, And of iij<sup>li</sup>  
 viij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest, to be Receaved,  
 for the mony lent forth, beinge all added  
 together, will make the whole stocke of the  
 Schole mony, in good bonds, and Ready  
 mony, the first day of Nouember 1632, to  
 Amount in all to the some of - - - xlvij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>



Beesides the three bonds of Ellin Wards  
which still ly forfeited in the hands of the  
said Adam Boultonn, beinge the some of - vijli  
gane 4<sup>li</sup> 8<sup>s</sup> 9<sup>d</sup>.

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| John Talbott.     | John Clayton.    |
| Thomas Walmsley.  | Raphe Lyuesay.   |
| John Osbaldeston. | Roger Gelibrond. |
| John Ainsworth.   | Gyles Bolton.    |

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1632.

The free Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

An account made by me Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors  
of the said Schole of the said stocke, Interest and other  
monyes Receued by me the said Adam, for the use of the  
said Schole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the account made by me Adam  
Boulton, the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1631, that  
there was then in the hands of me the said  
Adam, in Readie mony the some of xxxjs j<sup>d</sup>.  
And lickwyse in good bonds the some of  
xlvjli xij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the Conditions  
mentioned in the said Account vids: the  
some of xliijli iij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> beinge principall  
mony, And the some of iijli viij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> beinge  
Interest-mony all which said three somes  
Amount to - - - - - xlvijli iij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

Received, alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton,  
beinge the whole yeares Rent due for the  
same Schole lande in Mellor, the some of - xli

Soe the Totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to be Receued, vids: in Readie money  
xxxjs j<sup>d</sup>. And in good bonds for principall  
and Interest, xlvijli xij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>. And alsoe  
Receued for the Schole lande xli all which  
somes Amountes to - - - - - lvijli iij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of lvij<sup>li</sup> iijs vjd Receued by the said Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed as followeth.

Item giuen the Schole master Accordinge to an order made by the Gouvernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1630, vidz: yearly duringe there pleasure the some of - - - iij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen to usher to make up the Auditt mony, beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> iijs iiij<sup>d</sup> the some of x<sup>l</sup> beinge due to him for his wages, the some of v<sup>li</sup> xvjs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item Alowed the said Adam Boulton, for makinge the said Schole Account the some of - xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursments vidz: of iij<sup>li</sup> and of v<sup>li</sup> xvjs viij<sup>d</sup> and of xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup> doe Amount to - - - ix<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of disbursments beinge ix<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> deducted out of the some of lvij<sup>li</sup> iijs vjd and then there Remaynes De Claro, the some of - - - - - xlvij<sup>li</sup> xiijs vjd

Which said some of xlvij<sup>li</sup> xiijs vjd is Imployed as hereafter followeth vidz: Lent to Robart Lucas of Oullerton till the vij<sup>th</sup> of february 1632, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent to Thomas Ryley of Chatborne, till the xj<sup>th</sup> of October 1633, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Richarde Reade till Mychalmas 1633, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Thomas Whaley till Mychalmas 1633, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Henry Walchman of Bayley till the xiiij<sup>th</sup> of Nouember 1633, the principall some of vj<sup>li</sup> all which said principall somes amount to - xlvij<sup>li</sup>

Which said some xlvij<sup>li</sup> lent forth beinge deducted out of the some of xlvij<sup>li</sup> xiijs vjd



aboue mencioned to be Remaninge De  
Claro : And there Remaynes in the hands  
of the said Adam in Ready mony over and  
aboue the mony lent forth the some of - xxxiijs vjd

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge xlvij<sup>li</sup> it ap-  
peareth that the Interest there of to be  
Receued, at and before the first day of De-  
cember 1633, will Amount to - - - iij<sup>li</sup> xvs jd

Which three somes last aboue mencioned  
vidz : xlvij<sup>li</sup> beinge mencioned to be lent  
forth. And of xxxiijs vi<sup>d</sup> mencioned to be  
in Adam Boulton hands. And of iij<sup>li</sup> xvs jd  
beinge Interest, to be Receued, for the  
mony lent forth, beinge all added together,  
will make the whole stocke of the Schole  
mony in good bonds and Ready mony, the  
first of December, 1633, to Amount to - lij<sup>li</sup> viijs vij<sup>d</sup>

Besides the three bonds of Ellin Wards which  
still be forfeited in the hands of Adam  
Boulton, beinge the some of - - - vij<sup>li</sup>

ganed 4. 5. 1.

It is Agreed by the Gouvernours the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1632  
that the some of vjs iiij<sup>d</sup> beinge detened by Mr. Ashton, who  
payeth the usher his wages, and due to the said usher, for  
parte of his iij last yeares wages, that the said usher shall  
haue the said vjs iiij<sup>d</sup> and soe haue added to his wages ijs a  
yere till Mr. Ashton be pleased to giue it him.

John Talbott  
Tho Walmsley  
John Osbaldeston  
John Ainsworth  
John Clayton

Raphe Lyuesay  
Roger Gelibrond  
Gyles Bolton

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1633.

The ffree Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Account made by me Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors  
of the said Schole of the Stocke, Interest and other monyes,  
Receaved by me the said Adam Boulton, for the use of the  
said Schoole, and of the Imployment, of the same.

It appears by the account made by me Adam  
Boulton the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1632, that  
there was then in the hands of me the said  
Adam in Readie mony, the some of  
xxxiijs vjd, And lickwyse in good bonds the  
some of lli xvs jd as appeares in the  
Condicions mencioned in the said account  
vidz: xlvijli beinge principall mony. And  
iiijli xvs jd beinge Interest mony, All which  
said three somes, Amount to - - - lijli viijs vij<sup>d</sup>

Receaved, alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton  
being the whole yeres Rent due for the said  
Schoole land in Mellor, the some of - - - xli

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to be Receaved, vidz: in Readie mony  
xxxiijs vjd and in good bonds for principall  
and Interest lli xvs jd And alsoe Receaved,  
for the Schoole lande xli all which somes,  
Amounts to the some of - - - lxijli viijs vij<sup>d</sup>

Out of which said Receipts of lxijli viijs vij<sup>d</sup> Receved by me  
Adam Boultonn there haith beene disbursed as followeth:

Item giuen the Schoole Master Accordinge to  
to an order maide by the Gouvernors the  
xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1630, vidz: yearelie  
duringe there plesure, the some of - - - iiijli



Item giuen the usher by Concent of the  
Gouernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1632,  
beinge Arreragis, and deteyned by Mr.  
Ashton who payeth the said usher his  
wages, the some of - - - - - vjs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen the said usher to make upp the  
Auditt mony beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup> the some of  
x<sup>li</sup> due to him for his wagis, the some of - v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam Boulton, for  
makin the said account - - - - - xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursmetts  
vidz : of iiij<sup>li</sup> of vi<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> and of v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>  
and of xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup> doe Amount to - - - ix<sup>li</sup> xviijs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of disbursmetts beinge  
ix<sup>li</sup> xviijs iiij<sup>d</sup> deduckted out of the some of  
lxij<sup>li</sup> viijs viij<sup>d</sup> and then there Remaynes  
de Claro, the some of - - - - - lij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of lij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> is Employed  
as here after followeth vidz : lent Robart  
Lucas of Ollerton till the vij<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary,  
1633, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent  
Thomas Whaley till Michalmas 1634 the  
principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Thomas  
Rley of Chatborne till the xj<sup>th</sup> of October  
1634 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent  
Richarde Reade till Mychalmas 1634 the  
principall some of xj<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Henry  
Welchman of Bayley till the xiiij<sup>th</sup> of  
nouember the principall some of vj<sup>li</sup>. Item  
lent Richarde floole of livesey till the xviiij<sup>th</sup>  
of nouember, 1634, the principall some of  
v<sup>li</sup>. All which said principall somes,  
Amount to - - - - - lij<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of lij<sup>li</sup> lent forth beinge deducted out of the some of lij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup> aboue mencioned, to be Remaininge De Claro, And there Remanes in the hands of me Adam Boulton in Readie mony, over & aboue the mony lent forth the some of - x<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge lij<sup>li</sup> it appeareth that the Interest there of to be Receaved, at and before the first of December, 1634, will amount to - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup>

Which three somes last aboue mencioned, vidz: lij<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lent forth. And of x<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in Readie mony. And of iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest to be Receaved, for the mony lent forth, beinge all added together, will make the whole stocke of the Schoole mony in good bonds and Readie mony, the first day of December, 1634, to Amount to - - - - lvj<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>

Beesides the three bonds of Ellin Wards which still lie forfeyed in the hands of me Adam Boulton, beinge the some of - - vij<sup>li</sup> ganed 4<sup>li</sup> 4<sup>s</sup> 10<sup>d</sup>.

John Talbott.  
Thomas Walmsley.  
Adam Morte  
John Clayton.

Roger Gelibrond.  
Richard Haworth.  
Peter Haworth.

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1634.

The free Grammer Schoole of Quene Elizabeth in Blackborne.

The account made by me Adam Boultonn to the Gouvernors of the said Schoole of the stocke, Interest and other monyes,



Receaved, by me the said Adam for the use of the said Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the account made by me Adam Boultonn the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1633, that there was then, in the hands of me the said Adam in Readie mony the some of x<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup>. And lickwyse in good bonds the some of lvj<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the Condictions mencioned in the said account vidz: lij<sup>li</sup> beinge principall mony, And iiij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest,, all which said iij somes Amount to - - - - - lvj<sup>li</sup> xiijs v<sup>d</sup>

Receaved alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton, beinge the whole yeares Rent due for the same Schoole land in Mellor, the some of - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe as the totall of the somes aboue mencioned to be Receaved, vidz: in Readie mony x<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup> and in good bonds for principall and Interest lvj<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>. And alsoe Receaved, for the Schoole lande x<sup>li</sup> all which somes Amounts to - - - - - lxvili xiijs v<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of lxvili xiijs v<sup>d</sup> Receaved, by me Adam Boultonn, there haith beene disbursed asfolloweth.

Item giuen Henry Hammonde baylife of the wapentacke of blackborneshire beinge arreragis of a Rent Issuinge out of the said Schoole lande in mellor as appeares by acquittance under Hammonds hande the v<sup>th</sup> of Aprill 1634. Just - - - - - xvjs

Item giuen Mr. Myldmay a messenger of the of the Duchey, which straned for the said

arreagis xx<sup>s</sup> where of Mr. Houghton paid  
ix<sup>s</sup>. And I paide the Rest beinge - - - xj<sup>s</sup>

Item giuen the Schoole Master Accordinge to  
an order made by the Gouvernors the xxj<sup>th</sup>  
of December, 1630, vidz: yearly duringe  
there plesure the some of - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen the usher to make up the Audett  
mony beinge iiiij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> iiiij<sup>d</sup> the some of x<sup>li</sup> due  
to him for his wagis the some of - - - v<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item Allowed to the said Adam Boulton for  
making the said Schoole Account, the some  
of - - - - - xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
vidz: of xvj<sup>s</sup> of xj<sup>s</sup> of iiij<sup>li</sup> of v<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>  
and of xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiiij<sup>d</sup> Doe all Amount to the  
some of - - - - - x<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of x<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> deduckted out of  
the some of lxxvj<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>. And then there  
Remaynes de Claro - - - - - lv<sup>li</sup> xiiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of lv<sup>li</sup> xiiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> is Employed  
as hereafter followeth vidz: Lent Robert  
Lucas till the xij<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary 1634 the  
principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Richarde  
Reade till Mychalmas 1635 the principall  
some of xj<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Thomas Ryley, till  
the xj<sup>th</sup> october 1635 the principall some of  
x<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Henry Welchman till the  
xviiij<sup>th</sup> of nouember, 1635, the principall  
some of vj<sup>li</sup>. Item lent Christopher Whit-  
tiker till the xxiiiij<sup>th</sup> of Nouember, 1635, the  
principall some of viij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>. All which  
principall somes: Amount to - - - - - lv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>



Which said some of lv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> lent forth beinge  
deduckted out, of the some of lv<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup>  
v<sup>d</sup> aboue mencioned to be Remaingne De  
Claro. And there Remaynes in the hands  
of mee Adam Boultonn in Readie mony,  
over and aboue the mony lent forth the  
some of - - - - - iiijs v<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge the some of  
lv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> it appeares that the Interest thereof  
to be Receaved, att and before the first day  
of December, 1635, will Amount to the  
some of - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> viijs ix<sup>d</sup>

Which three somes last aboue mencioned,  
vidz: lv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> beinge said to bee lent forth.  
And of iiijs v<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in Adam  
Boulton hands. And of iiij<sup>li</sup> viijs ix<sup>d</sup> beinge  
Interest, to be Receued for the mony lent  
forth beinge all added together, will make  
the whole stocke of the Schoole mony in  
good bonds and Readie mony the first day  
of December, 1635, to Amount to - - - lx<sup>li</sup> iijs ij<sup>d</sup>  
gained. 3. 9. 9.

Beesids the three bonds of Ellin Wards, which  
still lie forfeited in the hands of me Adam  
Boultonn beinge in all - - - vij<sup>li</sup>

John Talbott.

Thomas Walmsley.

Adam Morte.

John Clayton.

John Talbott.

Rychard Lawe.

Henry ffeilden.

Gyles Bolton.

Roger Gelibrond.

Memorandum that att an assemblie of Gouvernors the xij<sup>th</sup> day of January 1634 George Tomlinson, Henry Walmsley of Mellor, Edmond Cockshoote of Harwoode, Thurston Mawdisley, John Sharples, Peeter Edge, William Marsden of Tockholes, Christopher Hill of Blackborne, were elected Gouvernors and gave x<sup>s</sup> each into the hands of me Adam Boulton which is the some of iiij<sup>li</sup>. Together with xx<sup>s</sup> beinge a legacie giuen by James Warde laite of mellor.

Memorandum that the same day Thomas Haworth of Darwen paid xx<sup>s</sup> and Thomas ffish of Eccleshill gave x<sup>s</sup> all which aforesaid somes, makes vj<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> and were the same tyme elected Gouvernors.

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| John Talbott.    | John Clayton.    |
| Thomās Walmsley. | John Talbott.    |
| Adam Bolton vic. | Roger Gelibrond. |
| Adam Morte.      |                  |

December xxj<sup>o</sup> 1635.

The ffree Grammer Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The account made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors of the said Schoole of the stocke Interest, and other monyes, Receued, by me the said Adam, for the use of the said Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the account made by me Adam Boulton the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1634, that there was then in the hands of me the said Adam in Redie mony, the some of iiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> and lickwyse in good bonnds the some of lix<sup>li</sup> xviijs ix<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the Condictions mencioned in the said account, vidz: lv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> beinge principall mony. And iiij<sup>li</sup> viijs ix<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest mony, all which said three somes, Amount to the some of - - - lx<sup>li</sup> iijs ijd



- Receued, alsoe at an assemblie of Gouvernors  
the xij<sup>th</sup> of January 1634 att which tyme  
there was elected ten gouvernors where of ix  
gaue x<sup>s</sup> a peece, and the tenth gaue xx<sup>s</sup> as  
appeares by the account, which said  
seuerall somes. Amounts to the some of - vli x<sup>s</sup>
- Receued, alsoe the same xij<sup>th</sup> of January of  
Thurston Mawdsley beinge a legacie, giuen  
by James Warde lait of Mellor deceased, to  
the use and benefitt of the said Schoole the  
some of - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>
- Receued, alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton  
beinge the whole yeares Rent, due for the  
same Schoole land in Mellor, the some of - xli
- Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned to  
bee Receued, vidz : in Readie mony iiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>  
and in good bonds for principall and  
Interest lix<sup>li</sup> xviijs ix<sup>d</sup>. And att the  
Election of ten gouvernors vli x<sup>s</sup> and for the  
legacie xx<sup>s</sup>. And alsoe for the Schoole  
land xli all which said seuerall somes  
Added together Amounts to the some of - lxxvjli xiijs ij<sup>d</sup>
- Out of which Receptes of lxxvjli xiijs ij<sup>d</sup> Receued by mee  
Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed as followeth.
- Item giuen Mr. Haulsteede the Schoole Master  
a gratuitie. Accordinge to an order made  
at an assemblie of the gouvernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December 1630, vidz : yearlie duringe there  
pleasure the some of - - - - - iiijli
- Item giuen Mr. Bradley the usher to make up  
the Auditt mony beinge iiijli js iiij<sup>d</sup> the  
some of xli due to him for his wagis, the  
some of - - - - - vli xviiis viij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam, for makinge the  
said Schoole account - - - - - xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
vidz : of iiij<sup>li</sup> of v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup> and of xiijs  
iiij<sup>d</sup> doe all, Amount to the some of - - ix<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of ix<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> deduckted out of  
the some of lxxvj<sup>li</sup> xiijs ij<sup>d</sup>. And there  
Remanes De Claro - - - - - lxvij<sup>li</sup> js ij<sup>d</sup>

Which said somes of lxvij<sup>li</sup> js ij<sup>d</sup> is Employed  
hereafter followeth vidz : Lent Edwarde  
Slaytor till the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of february, 1635,  
the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Thomas  
Hordas till the xxvj<sup>th</sup> of february, 1635,  
the principall some of iiij<sup>li</sup>. Lent Thomas  
Whaley till Mychalmas 1636, the principall  
some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Richarde Reade till  
Mychalmas 1636. the principall some of xj<sup>li</sup>.  
Lent Thomas Riley till the xj<sup>th</sup> of October  
1636. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> lent John  
Schofield till the xx<sup>th</sup> of October 1636.  
the principall some of vj<sup>li</sup> lent Henry  
Welchman till the xiiij<sup>th</sup> of nouember 1636.  
the principall some of vj<sup>li</sup>. Lent Christopher  
Whittiker till the xxviiij<sup>th</sup> of nouember,  
1636, the principall some of viij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> all  
which said principall somes beinge added  
together, Amount to the some of - - lxv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of lxv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> lent forth beinge  
deduckted out of the some of lxvij<sup>li</sup> js ij<sup>d</sup>  
aboue mencioned, to bee Remaininge de  
Claro, And there Remaynes in the hands  
of mee Adam Boultonn, in Readie mony  
over and aboue the mony lent forth, the  
some of - - - - - xxxjs ij<sup>d</sup>



Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge the some of  
 lxxv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> it appeares that the Interest there  
 of to be Receued, att and before the xx<sup>th</sup> day  
 of December, 1636, will Amount to the  
 some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Which three somes last aboue mencioned  
 vids: lxxv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> beinge said to be lent forth.  
 And xxxj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> mencioned to be in the said  
 Adam hands. And of v<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> beinge  
 Interest, to bee Receued, for the mony lent  
 forth, beinge all added together, will make  
 the whole stocke of the Schole mony in  
 good bonds and Readie mony, the xx<sup>th</sup> day  
 of December 1636. Amount to - - - lxxij<sup>li</sup> vs xj<sup>d</sup>

Beeside the three bonds of Ellin Wards which  
 still lye forfeited in the hands of mee Adam  
 Boulton beinge - - - - - vij<sup>li</sup>

John Talbott.  
 Thomas Walmsley.  
 John Talbott.  
 Peter Edge.

Henry ffeilden.  
 Gyles Bolton.  
 Roger Gelibrond.

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1636.

The ffree Grammer Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
 Blackborne.

The Account made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors  
 of the said Schole of the Stocke, Interest, and other monyes,  
 Receued, by mee the said Adam for the use of the said  
 Schoole and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the account made by mee Adam  
 Boulton, the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1635. that  
 there was then in the hands of mee the said  
 Adam, in Readie mony the some of xxxj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>

and lickwyse in good Bonds the some of  
lxx<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the Condi-  
tions mencioned, in the said account, vidz :  
lxx<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> beinge principall mony, and v<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup>  
ix<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest mony, all which said iiij  
somes Amount to - - - - - lxxij<sup>li</sup> v<sup>s</sup> xjd

Receued, alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton  
beinge the whole yeares Rente, due for the  
same Schoole lands in Mellor the some of - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to bee Receved, vids: in Readie mony  
xxxj<sup>s</sup> ijd and in good bonds principall and  
Interest lxx<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>. And alsoe for the  
Schoole lande x<sup>li</sup> all which somes is - - - iiijxxij<sup>li</sup> v<sup>s</sup> xjd

Out of which Receipts of iiijxxij<sup>li</sup> v<sup>s</sup> xjd Receved by mee  
Adam Boultonn, there haith beene disbursed as ffolloweth.

Imprimis giuen Mr. Haulsteed a Gratuitie  
According to an Order made at an assembly  
of the Gouvernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December,  
1630. vids: yearlye duringe there pleasure,  
the some of - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Bradley the usher to make  
upp the Auditt mony beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> the  
some of x<sup>li</sup> due to him for his wayges Just v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item Allowed to the said Adam Boulton for  
makinge and keepinge the said Schoole  
Account, the some of - - - - - xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen the glasier for mendinge the win-  
dowes as appeares by a noate under Mr.  
Haulsteeds hande, the some of - - - vjs

Item giuen Henry Baron for Soalinge the  
Schoole windowes with boardes, over and  
aboue Doctor Astleyes Allowance - - - iiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>



Item giuen the Slaiter for mendinge the Slait  
by Mr. Roger Gelibrande, the some of - x<sup>d</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
aboue mencioned beinge all added together,  
Amounts to the some of - - - - x<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> ijd

Which said some of x<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> ijd deducted out of  
the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>ij<sup>li</sup> v<sup>s</sup> xjd and there Re-  
maynes De Claro. the some of - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>ij<sup>li</sup> ijs ix<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>ij<sup>li</sup> ijs ix<sup>d</sup> is Im-  
ployed as hearafter followeth vids: Lent  
Edwarde Slayter till the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of february  
1636. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> lent Thomas  
Hordas till the xxvj<sup>th</sup> of february 1636. the  
principall some of iiij<sup>li</sup>. Lent Richard  
Reade till Mychalmas 1637. the some of xj<sup>li</sup>  
Lent Hiugh Hargreaves till the vj<sup>th</sup> of  
October 1637. the some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Tho:  
Ryley till the xx<sup>th</sup> of October 1637. the prin-  
cipall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent John Schofeilde  
till the xx<sup>th</sup> of October 1637. the some of  
vj<sup>li</sup>. Lent James Aspinall till the last of  
October 1637. the some of v<sup>li</sup>. Lent Rich-  
arde Bradley usher till the xiiij<sup>th</sup> of Nouem-  
ber 1637. the principall some of vj<sup>li</sup>. All  
which said principall somes Amounts to  
the some of - - - - - lxij<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of lxij<sup>li</sup> lent forth beinge  
deducted out of the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>ij<sup>li</sup> ijs ix<sup>d</sup>  
aboue mencioned, to bee Remaingne De  
Claro. And there Remanes in the hands of  
mee Adam Boulton in Readie mony, ouer  
and aboue the mony lent forth the some of x<sup>li</sup> ijs ix<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge lxij<sup>li</sup> it  
appeares that the Interest there of to bee

Receued, at and beefore the xx<sup>th</sup> day of  
December 1637. will Amount to the some of      iiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>

Which three somes last aboue mencioned  
vids: lxij<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lent forth.  
And x<sup>li</sup> ij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in Adam  
Boulton hands. And of iiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>  
beinge Interest to bee Receued, for the  
mony lent forth, beinge all added together,  
will make the whole stocke of the Schoole  
mony in good bonds and Readie mony, the  
xx<sup>th</sup> day of December 1637. to Amount to  
the some of      -      -      -      -      -      -      lxxvij<sup>li</sup> js xj<sup>d</sup>

Besides the three bonds of Ellin Wards which  
still lie forfeited in the hands of mee Adam  
Boulton beinge      -      -      -      -      -      vij<sup>li</sup>

John Talbott  
Tho Walmsley  
Adam Bolton vicar  
John Clayton

Peter Haworth  
Gyles Bolton  
George Tomlinsone  
Roger Gelibrond

December xxj<sup>o</sup> 1637.

The ffree Grammer Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Account made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouernors  
of the said schoole of the Stocke, Interest and other monyes,  
Receued, by mee the said Adam for the use of the said  
Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the account maide by mee Adam  
Boulton the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1636. That  
there was then in the hands of mee the said  
Adam in Readie mony the some of x<sup>li</sup> ij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>  
and lickwyse in good bonds the some of  
lxvj<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the Condictions



mentioned in the said Account vids: lxij<sup>li</sup>  
 beinge principall mony, and iiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>  
 Interest mony all which said somes Amount  
 to - - - - - lxxvij<sup>li</sup> js xjd

Receued alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton  
 beinge the whole yeares Rent due for the  
 same Schoole lande in Mellor, the some of x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
 to bee Receued vids: in Readie mony  
 x<sup>li</sup> ij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> and in good Bonds principall and  
 Interest lxxvij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> and alsoe for the  
 Schole lande x<sup>li</sup> all which somes Amounts  
 to - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>vij<sup>li</sup> js xjd

Out of which Receptes of iiij<sup>xx</sup>vij<sup>li</sup> js xjd Receued, by mee  
 Adam Boulton there haith beene disbursed as followeth.

Item giuen Mr. Haulsteede a gratuitie accord-  
 inge to an order made att an assemblie of  
 the Gouernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1630.  
 vids: yearly duringe there pleasure, the  
 some of - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Bradley the usher to make  
 upp the Auditt mony beinge, iiij<sup>li</sup> is iiij<sup>d</sup> the  
 some of x<sup>li</sup> due to him for his wages, the  
 some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam Boulton for  
 makinge the said Schoole account, the  
 some of - - - - - xiijs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
 vids: of iiij<sup>li</sup> of v<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> and of xiijs  
 iiij<sup>d</sup> doe all Amount to - - - - - ix<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of ix<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> deducted out of  
 the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>vij<sup>li</sup> js xjd. And there  
 Remaynes De Claro the some of - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>vij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> xjd

Which said some of iij<sup>xxviii</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup> is Employed as here after followeth, vids :

Which said some of iij<sup>xxviii</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup> is Employed as followeth vids : Lent Robart Whittaker, and others till the xxviii<sup>th</sup> of December 1637. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> Lent Edward Slayter till the xxiii<sup>th</sup> of february 1637. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Tho : Hordas till the xxvj<sup>th</sup> of february 1637. the principall some of iii<sup>li</sup>. Lent Richarde Reade and others till mychalmas 1638. the principall some of xj<sup>li</sup>. Lent Hiugh Hargreaves till the vj<sup>th</sup> of October 1638. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Tho : Ryley till the xj<sup>th</sup> of October, 1638. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent John Schofeilde till the xx<sup>th</sup> of October, 1638. the principall some of vj<sup>li</sup>. Lent James Aspinall till the last of October, 1638. the principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. All which said principall somes Amounts to - - - lxvj<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of lxvj<sup>li</sup> lent forth beinge deducted out of the some of lxxvij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup> aboue mencioned to bee Remaininge De Claro. And there Remanes in the hands of mee Adam Boulton in Readie mony over and aboue the mony lent forth, the some of xj<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge lxviii it appeares that the Interest there of to bee Receued at and beefore the xx<sup>th</sup> day of December 1638. will Amount to the some of v<sup>li</sup> vs vij<sup>d</sup>

Which iij somes last aboue mencioned vids : lxvj<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lent forth. And xj<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in Adam Boulton hands And of v<sup>li</sup> vs vij<sup>d</sup> beinge



Interest to bee Receued, for the mony lent forth, beinge all added together, will make the whole stocke of the Schoole mony in good bonds and Readie mony the xx<sup>th</sup> of December 1638. to Amount, to the some of iiij<sup>xxij</sup>li xv<sup>s</sup> vjd

Besides the iij bonds of Ellin Wards which still lie forfeited in the hands of mee Adam Boulton beinge - - - - - vijli

Att an assemblie of the Gouvernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of December 1637, John Ward doctor of Phisicke Comiter of the bodie and Lands of Edward Osbaldeston Esq his Majesties Ward, was Elected Gouvernor for the which hee did paye vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>, And also att the same assemblie it was ordered that Adam Bolton should haue xx<sup>s</sup> allowed for making the accoumpts, yearelie, And the vi<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> afore named is allowed unto him to make upp his last yeares allowance the some of xx<sup>s</sup>, and so to Contynue.

John Talbott  
Tho Walmsley  
Adam Morte  
Adam Bolton vicar  
Roger Gelibrond

John Clayton  
Peter Haworth  
Gyles Bolton  
Geo: Tumlinsone

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1638.

The account made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors of the said Schoole of the Stocke, Interest and other monys Receued by mee the said Adam, for the use of the said Schoole and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the account made by me Adam Boulton the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1637. that there was then in the hands of me the said Adam, in Readie mony the some of xjli ix<sup>s</sup> xid and lickwyse in good bonds lxxjli v<sup>s</sup> vjd.

As appeares in the Condictions mencioned  
in the said account, vids : lxxvj<sup>li</sup> beinge prin-  
cipall mony. And v<sup>li</sup> vs vij<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest  
mony, which said somes Amounts to - - lxxxij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

Receued alsoe of Mr. Tho : Houghton beinge  
the whole yeares Rent due for the same  
Schole lande in Mellor, the some of - - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the Totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to bee Receued, vids : in Readie mony  
xj<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> xj<sup>d</sup>. And in good bonds for prin-  
cipall and Interest lxxj<sup>li</sup> vs vij<sup>d</sup>. And alsoe  
for the Schole lande x<sup>li</sup> all which somes  
added together Amounts to the some of - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xi<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> Receued by mee  
Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed as followeth  
vids :

Imprimis giuen Mr. Haulsteede the Master a  
gratuitie, Accordinge to an Order made at  
an assembly of the Gouernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December, 1630. vids. yearely duringe there  
pleasure, the some of - - - - ii<sup>j</sup><sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Bradley the usher, to make  
upp the Auditte mony beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>  
the some of x<sup>li</sup> due to him for his wagis the  
some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen for Repare of the Schole vids : to  
the Slayters xj<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> for gettinge mosse iijs  
ij<sup>d</sup> for lyme and walinge ijs vj<sup>d</sup> for one  
locke and ij keyes for the house of office  
xij<sup>d</sup> all which added together is - - - xviijs ij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam, for keepinge the  
said account the some of - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>



Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
 vids: of iij<sup>li</sup> of v<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> of xvij<sup>s</sup> ijd  
 and xx<sup>s</sup> doe all Amount to the some of - xli xvj<sup>s</sup> xd

Which said some of xli xvj<sup>s</sup> xd deducted out  
 of the some of iij<sup>xx</sup>xij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vjd. And there  
 Remaynes De Claro - - - lxxxj<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of lxxxj<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> is Im-  
 ployed as here after followeth, vids: Lent  
 Robt Whittaker and others till the xxvij<sup>th</sup>  
 of December, 1638, the principall some of  
 xli lent Christopher Hindle and others till  
 the j<sup>th</sup> of Ja: 1638. the principall some of  
 xli lent Edwarde Slaiter and others till the  
 xxv<sup>th</sup> of ffeb: 1638. the principall some of  
 xli lent Tho: Hordas and others till the  
 xxvj<sup>th</sup> the ffeb: 1638. the principall some of  
 iij<sup>li</sup> lent Tho: Reade, and others till the  
 xxvj<sup>th</sup> of ffeb: 1638. the principall some of  
 of viij<sup>li</sup> lent Henry Haighton and others  
 till the x<sup>th</sup> of October, 1639, the principall  
 some of xli lent Tho: Rylie and others till  
 the xij<sup>th</sup> of October, 1639, the principall  
 some of vli lent Hiughe Talior and others  
 till the iij<sup>th</sup> of nouember, 1639, the princi-  
 pall some of xli lent Isabell Haworth, and  
 others till the x<sup>th</sup> of December, 1639, the  
 principall some of xli all which said princi-  
 pall somes Amounts to the some of - - lxxvij<sup>li</sup>

Which said Some of lxxvij<sup>li</sup> lent forth beinge  
 deducted out of the Some of lxxxj<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup>  
 viij<sup>d</sup>, afore mencioned to bee Remaininge  
 De Claro And there Remanes in the  
 hands of mee Adam Boulton in Readie  
 mony Over and aboue the mony lent forth  
 the some of - - - iij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge the some of

lxxvij<sup>li</sup> it appeares that the Interest, there  
of, to bee Receued att and before the xx<sup>th</sup>  
day of December 1639, will Amounte to  
the some of - - - - - vij<sup>li</sup> iijs ijd

Which three somes last aboue mencioned  
vids: lxxvij<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lent forth.  
And iiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in  
Adam Boultons hands. And of vij<sup>li</sup> iijs ijd  
beinge Interest to bee Receued for the  
mony lent forth. beinge all added together,  
will make the whole stocke of the Scoole  
mony in good bonds and Readie mony the  
xx<sup>th</sup> of December, 1639, to Amount to - iiij<sup>xx</sup> viij<sup>li</sup> js x<sup>d</sup>

Besides the iij bonds of Ellin Wards which  
still lye forfeited in the hands of mee Adam  
Boulton, beinge the some of - - - - - vij<sup>li</sup>

John Talbott  
Tho: Walmsley  
Adam Morte

Gyles Bolton  
Adam Bolton vicar

December xxj<sup>th</sup>, 1639.

The account made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors  
of the said Schoole of the Stocke, Interest, and other monyes  
Receued, by me the said Adam for the use of the said Schoole  
and of the Implaymente of the same.

It appeares by the account made by me Adam  
Boulton the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1638 that  
there was then in the hands of mee the said  
Adam in Readie mony the some of iiij<sup>li</sup>  
xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> and lickwyse in good bonds  
lxxxiiij<sup>li</sup> iijs ijd. As appeares in the Condi-  
tions mencioned in the said account vids:  
lxxvij<sup>li</sup> beinge principall mony. And vili  
iijs ijd. beinge Interest mony. All which  
said somes Amounts to - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup> viij<sup>li</sup> js x<sup>d</sup>



Receued alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton  
beinge the whole yeares Rent due for the  
same Schoole land in Mellor, the some of - xli

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to bee Receued vids: in Readie mony  
iiij<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>. And in good Bonds for  
principall and Interest lxxxiiij<sup>li</sup> iijs ij<sup>d</sup>. And  
alsoe for the Schole lande xli all which  
said somes Added together Amounts to  
the some of - - - - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xviiij<sup>li</sup> js x<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xviiij<sup>li</sup> js x<sup>d</sup> Receued, by  
mee Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed as followeth  
vids:

Imprimis giuen Mr. Haulsteede the master,  
A gratuitie accordinge to an order made  
at an assembly of the Gouernors the xxj<sup>th</sup>  
of December 1630, vids: yearly duringe  
there pleasure the some of - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Bradley the usher to make  
upp the Auditt mony beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup>  
the some of xli due to him for his wagis the  
some of - - - - - vli xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam Boulton, for  
keepinge the said account - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
vids: of iiij<sup>li</sup> of vli xviijs viij<sup>d</sup> and of xx<sup>s</sup>  
doe all Amounte, to the some of - - - ixli xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of ixli xviijs viij<sup>d</sup> deducked  
out of the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xviiij<sup>li</sup> js x<sup>d</sup> And  
there Remaynes De Claro - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xviiij<sup>li</sup> iijs ij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xviiij<sup>li</sup> iijs ij<sup>d</sup> is Im-  
ployed as hereafter followeth vids: Lent  
Robert Whittaker and others till the xxviiij<sup>th</sup>

of December, 1639, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> Lent Thomas Osbaldeston and others till the x<sup>th</sup> of January 1639, the principall some of v<sup>li</sup> Lent Edwarde Slayter and others till the xxv<sup>th</sup> of february 1639, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> Lent Thomas Hordas and others till the xxvj<sup>th</sup> of february 1639 the principall some of iiij<sup>li</sup> Lent Thomas Holden and others till the x<sup>th</sup> of May, 1640, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> Lent Thomas Reade and others till the iij<sup>th</sup> of October, 1640, the principall some of viij<sup>li</sup> Lent Henry Haighton and others till the xij<sup>th</sup> of October 1640, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> Lent Thomas Ryley and others till the xij<sup>th</sup> of October 1640, the principall some of v<sup>li</sup> Lent Hiugh Talior and others till the fourth of nouember, 1640, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> Lent Richarde Cowpe and others till the x<sup>th</sup> of December, 1640, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup> All which said principall somes Amounts to the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>iij<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>iij<sup>li</sup> lent forth de-  
 duckted out of the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>viiij<sup>li</sup> iijs  
 ijd afore mencioned to bee Remaininge De  
 Claro. And there Remaynes in the hands  
 of mee Adam Boulton, in Readie mony  
 over and aboue the mony lent forth, the  
 some of - - - - -

vj<sup>li</sup> iijs ijd

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge the some  
 of iiij<sup>xx</sup>iij<sup>li</sup> it appeares that the Interest there  
 of to be Receued att and beefore the xxii<sup>th</sup>  
 day of December, 1640, will Amounte to  
 the some of - - - - -

vj<sup>li</sup> xjs ijd

Which iij somes last aboue mencioned, vidz :  
 of iiij<sup>xx</sup>iij<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lent forth, And



vj<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in Readie mony, And of vj<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest to bee Receued for the mony lent forth, beinge all added together, will make the whole Stocke, of the Schole mony, in good bonds and Readie mony the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1640, to Amounte to the some of - - - - - - - - - - iij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Beesides the iij bonds of Ellin Wards which still lye forfeited in the hands of mee Adam Boulton beinge - - - - - - - - - - vij<sup>li</sup>

|                  |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| John Talbott.    | Adam Bolton.     |
| Thomas Walmsley. | Rychard Lawe.    |
| John Ainsworth.  | Gyles Bolton.    |
| Adam Morte.      | Roger Gelibrond. |
| John Talbott.    |                  |

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1640.

The Accounte made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors of the said Schole of the Stocke, Interest, and other monyes, Receued by mee the said Adam for the use of the said Schole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte made by mee Adam Boulton the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1639 that there was then, in the hands of mee the said Adam in Readie mony the some of vi<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> and lickwyse in good bonds iij<sup>xx</sup>viiij<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the Conditions mencioned in the said accounte vidz: lxxxij<sup>li</sup> beinge principall mony, and vj<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest mony, All which said somes: amounts to - - - - - iij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> and iiij<sup>d</sup>

Receued alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton

beinge the whole yeares Rente due for the  
same Schole lands in Mellor, the some of - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned to  
bee Receued, vidz : in Readie mony vj<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup>  
ij<sup>d</sup>. And in good bonds for principall, and  
Interest, iiij<sup>xx</sup>viiij<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>. And alsoe for  
the Schole lande x<sup>li</sup>. All which somes  
Added together, Amounts to - - - ciij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of ciij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> Receued by mee  
Adam Boulton there haith beene disbursed asfolloweth vidz :

Imprimis giuen Mr. Haulsteede the master.  
A gratuite Accordinge to an order made at  
an assemblie of the Gouernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December 1630 vidz : yearly duringe there  
pleasure, the some of - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Bradley the usher to make  
upp the Audite mony beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> the  
some of x<sup>li</sup> due to him, for his wagis, the  
some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed to the said Adam, for keepinge  
the said accounte the some of - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
vidz : of iiij<sup>li</sup> of v<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>. And of xx<sup>s</sup>  
doe all Amounte to the some of - - ix<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of ix<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> deducked  
out of the some of ciij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>. And  
there Remanes, De Claro - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> is  
Employed as hereafter followeth : vidz : lent



Robarte Whittakers and others till the xxvij<sup>th</sup> of December, 1640, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Henry Holden and others till the xv<sup>th</sup> of January 1640. the principall some of vj<sup>li</sup> Lent Edwarde Slayter and others till the xxv<sup>th</sup> of february 1640. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Thomas Hordas and others till the xxvj<sup>th</sup> of february 1640, the principall some of iiij<sup>li</sup>. Lent Thomas Holden and others till the x<sup>th</sup> of May 1641. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Thomas Reade and others till the ij<sup>th</sup> of October 1641. the principall some of viij<sup>li</sup>. Lent James Ryley and others till the xxj<sup>th</sup> of October 1641. the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. Lent John Wilkinson and others till the xxvi<sup>th</sup> of nouember 1641. the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. All which said principall somes, Amounts to the some of - - ii<sup>j</sup>xxvii<sup>j</sup>li

Which said some of ii<sup>j</sup>xxvii<sup>j</sup>li lent forth deducked out of the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xiij<sup>j</sup>li xv<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> afore mencioned to bee Remaininge, De Claro. And there Remaynes in the hands of mee, Adam Boulton in Readie mony, ouer and aboue the mony lent forth, the some of - - - - - xvj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge the some of ii<sup>j</sup>xxvii<sup>j</sup>li it appeares that the Interest thereof to bee Receued att and beefore the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1641. will Amounte to vj<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which ii<sup>j</sup> somes last aboue mencioned, vidz : of ii<sup>j</sup>xxvii<sup>j</sup>li beinge said to bee lente forth. And xvj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in Readie mony. And of vj<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> beinge

Interest to bee Receued, for the mony lent  
forth, beinge all added together, will make  
the whole Stocke of the Schole mony, in  
good bonds, and Readie mony, the xxj<sup>th</sup>  
day of December, 1641, to Amounte to - cjl<sup>i</sup>      iiij<sup>d</sup>

Beesides the iij bonds of Ellin Wards, which  
still lye forfeited in the hands of mee Adam  
Boultonn beinge the some of - - - vij<sup>li</sup>

xj<sup>th</sup> of Januarie 1640.

This accountp is allowed on, And it is ordered that  
Mr. Halsted the Schole Master, shall haue the gratuitie of  
iij<sup>li</sup>, to bee made v<sup>li</sup> all the wholl v<sup>li</sup> is butt to Continue during  
the Gouvernors pleasure.

John Talbott.  
Thomas Walmsley.  
Adam Bolton vic.

Thurstan Mawdesley.  
Gyles Bolton.  
Roger Gelibrond.

Att an assemblie of the Gouvernors of the ffree Gramer  
Schole of queene Elizabeth in Blackeburne in the Countie of  
Lancaster the nynth day of August 1641,\* They did ellecte  
John Swinlehurst gent. Schole Master of the said ffree Schole,  
(The said schole being then voyd of a Master) And also they  
did ellecte John Law the younger Gouvernor of the said  
Schole, & hee did paye att his said Elleccon unto Adam  
Bolton the some of x<sup>s</sup>, And it was then ordered that the said  
John Law should haue the keeping of the key of the Schole  
chest being late in his Grandfathers keepinge :

Raphe Assheton.  
Thomas Walmsley.  
Ralph Liuesay.  
Adam Bolton vicar.  
John Talbott.  
Richard Walmisley.  
Thomas Haworth.

Thurstan Mawdesley.  
Gyles Bolton.  
Peter Edge.  
John Sharples.  
Christofer Hill.  
Roger Gelibrond.

\* John Swinlehurst was bound over, in £300, to resign his post, if required to  
so by five specially named Governors. Notice was to be posted on the School door.



December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1641.

The Account made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors of the said Schole of the Stocke, Interesse, and other monyes, Receued by mee the said Adam for the use of the said Schole, and of the Imploymente of the same.

It appeares by the accounte made by mee Adam Boulton the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1640 that there was then, in the hands of mee the said Adam in Readie mony the some of xvj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> and lickwyse in good bonds, iiij<sup>xx</sup>iiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the Con-  
dicions mencioned in the said accounte,  
vidz : lxxviij<sup>li</sup> beinge principall mony, and  
vj<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest mony, all which  
said somes, Amounts to - - - - - cj<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Receued at an Assemblie of Gouvernors the  
ix<sup>th</sup> day of August 1641 of John Law  
younger, than beinge Elected Gouvernor, the  
some of - - - - - x<sup>s</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned,  
to bee Receued, vids : In Readie mony xvj<sup>li</sup>  
xv<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>. And in good bonds for princi-  
pall, and Interesse iiij<sup>xx</sup>iiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>.  
And alsoe at the Election of John Lawe x<sup>s</sup>.  
All which somes Added together Amounts  
to - - - - - cj<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receipts of cj<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> Receued by mee Adam  
Boulton, there haith beene disbursed as followeth, vids :

Imprimis giuen Mr. Bradley the usher to make  
upp the Auditt mony beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> the  
some of x<sup>li</sup> due to him for his wages, the  
some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam, for keepinge the  
said Accounte, the some of - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said somes of v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viijd and of xx<sup>s</sup>  
Amounts to - - - - - vj<sup>li</sup> xviijs viijd

Which said somes of vj<sup>li</sup> xviijs viijd deduckted  
out of the some of c<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>. And there  
Remaynes, De Claro - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup> xiiij<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup> viijd

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup> viijd is  
Imployed as here after ffolloweth, vidz :  
Lent Henry Holden and others till the xv<sup>th</sup>  
of January 1641. the principall some of vj<sup>li</sup>  
lente Edwarde Slayter and others till the  
xxv<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary 1641. the some of x<sup>li</sup> lent  
James Bollen and others till the vj<sup>th</sup> of May  
x<sup>li</sup> lente Thomas Holden and others till the  
x<sup>th</sup> of May 1642. the some of x<sup>li</sup> lent Robarte  
Lawde and others till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of October,  
1642, the some of v<sup>li</sup> lent Richarde Hayhurst  
and others till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of October 1642. the  
some of v<sup>li</sup> lent Thomas Aspden and others  
till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of October 1642. the principaltie  
some of v<sup>li</sup> lent James Ryley and others till  
the xxj<sup>th</sup> of October 1642. the principall some  
of xx<sup>li</sup> lent James Crosley and others till the  
ij<sup>th</sup> of December 1642. the principall some  
of x<sup>li</sup> lente John Wilkinson and others till  
the viij<sup>th</sup> of December 1642 the principall  
of x<sup>li</sup> All which said principall somes  
Amounts to - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xj<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xj<sup>li</sup> lente forth,  
deduckted out of the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup>  
viijd afore mencioned to bee Remaninge de  
Claro. And there Remanes in the hands  
of mee Adam Boulton, in Readie mony,  
over and aboue the mony lente forth the  
some of - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> xj<sup>s</sup> viijd



Alsoe the money lent forth beinge the some of  
 iiij<sup>xx</sup>xj<sup>li</sup> it appears that the Interest there of  
 to bee Receued, att and before the xxj<sup>th</sup> day  
 of December, 1642, will Amounte to - -

vij<sup>li</sup> vs vj<sup>d</sup>

Which three somes last before mencioned,  
 vidz: of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xj<sup>li</sup> beinge said to be lente  
 forth. And iij<sup>li</sup> xjs viij<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee  
 in Readie mony. And of vij<sup>li</sup> vs vj<sup>d</sup> beinge  
 said to bee Interesse, to bee Receued, for  
 the mony lent forth beinge all added  
 together, will make the whole Stocke of the  
 Schoole mony in good bonds, and Readie  
 mony the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1642 to  
 Amounte to - - - - -

cj<sup>li</sup> xvijs ij<sup>d</sup>

Besides One whole yeares Rents due at\*  
 Candlemas laste 1640. by Mr. Thomas  
 Hoghton, for the lande in Mellor belonginge  
 to the said Schoole, beinge then the some of

xli

And beesides the iij bonds of Ellin Wards  
 which still lye forfeited, in the hands of me  
 Adam Boulton beinge - - - - -

vij<sup>li</sup>

Receued since the writinge of this Accounte of  
 Mr. Thomas Hoghton, for the Schole land  
 in Mellor, the some of ten pounds, out of  
 the which I am to pay the usher vli  
 mencioned in an order on the backe of this  
 lease, and to account for the other - -

vli

|                      |                               |
|----------------------|-------------------------------|
| Raphe Assheton.      | Edmund Cockeshutt.            |
| John Talbott.        | Peter Edge.                   |
| John Talbott.        | John Sharples.                |
| Adam Bolton.         | Christopher Hill x his marke. |
| Richard Osbaldeston. | Roger Gelibrond.              |
| Thurstan Mawdesley.  |                               |

\* This item is lined out.

December 21<sup>o</sup> 1641.

Att an assembly of Gouvernors at Blackburne the day aboue said it is ordered by the said Gouvernors then assemble, that Richarde Bradley usher, by Reason of his Recusancie, shall bee displased, for Continuinge usher any longer in the said Schole.

It is further Ordered that whereas the said Richarde Bradley did teach all the Schollars of the said Schole, when there was noe Master for the space of halfe a quarter of a yeare, that therefore hee shall Receave for his paynes the some of fiftie shillings, out of the Schole Stocke. And other fiftie shillings for a quarter teachinge in his owne place, since Mychalmas last, which is to bee payed out of the Schole Rente beinge the some of vii.

John Talbott.

Thomas Walmsley.

Richard Haworth.

Adam Bolton.

Thurstan Mawdesley.

Gyles Bolton.

Roger Gelibrond.

John Lawe.

Att an Assembly of Gouvernors at Blackborne the Eighteenth day of Aprill 1642. They did Electe Richarde Morrese to bee usher, for the free Grammer Schole there, uppon tryall of his behauior, for which hee haith giuen bonde.

It is alsoe Ordered the same day aboue written, at the election of the said Richarde Morese, That Mr. John Swinlehurst beinge Master of the said Schole, shall haue fiftie shillings, for his paynes, for teaching in the ushers place for one quarter last past.

Raphe Assheton.

John Talbott.

John Talbott.

Adam Boulton.

Henry Walmsley.

Richard Osbaldeston.

Henrie White.

Thurstan Mawdesley.

Edmund Cockeshutt.

Roger Gelibrond.

John Sharples.

Peter Edge.

Christofer Hill.



Att an assemblie of Gouvernors the xviiij<sup>th</sup> day of Aprill 1642. Richarde Walmsley of Dunkenhalth Esq.: his Majestie's warde was Elected Gouvernor, and payd xx<sup>s</sup>. Alsoe Mr. Henry Walmsley of Church gent. was Elected Gouvernor and payed his x<sup>s</sup>. Alsoe Henry White servante to Mrs. Mariana ffiletwoode was Elected Gouvernor and payed his x<sup>s</sup>. which seuerall sums amountes to xl<sup>s</sup> and Receued by Adam Boulton, and to bee acompted for to the Gouvernors.

And alsoe at the same Eleccion Mr. Edwarde Hoghton was Elected gouernor and paide to the said Adam x<sup>s</sup>.

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|----------------------|-------------------|
| Raphe Assheton.      | Edmund Cockeshutt |
| John Talbott.        | Peter Edge.       |
| John Talbott.        | Roger Gelibrond.  |
| Richard Osbaldeston. | John Sharples.    |
| Thurstan Mawdesley.  | Christofer Hill.  |

Att an assemblie of Gouvernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1642. the did appointe that Richarde Morrise beinge usher and admitted the xviiij<sup>th</sup> day of Aprill last, should be payed his wages till the xviiij<sup>th</sup> of January next, beinge three quarters of one yeare the some of iiij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> and soe the yeare to End every xviiij<sup>th</sup> of January.

Alsoe it was ordered the same xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1642. by Reason that the Master could not Receue his wages, the tymes beinge soe distracted, that there should v<sup>li</sup> bee lent him, till a full assembly of the Gouvernors may bee assemble.

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|---------------------|-----------------|
| Gyles Bolton.       | Thomas Haworth. |
| Thurstan Mawdesley. | Peter Edge.     |
| Peter Haworth.      | John Sharples.  |

Att an assembly of Gouvernors at Blackborne the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1643. it was ordered that Mr. Swinlehurst the Schole Master beinge at wante of mony, beinge three Rents behinde, by Reason of the distracted tymes: that hee shall haue ten pounds out of the stocke mony: till the Rents due

to the said Schole Come in. And then to be added to the Stocke againe.

|                     |                               |
|---------------------|-------------------------------|
| Adam Bolton min.    | Thomas Haworth.               |
| Ralph Liuesay.      | Roger Gelibrond.              |
| Thurstan Mawdesley. | Christopher Hill x his marke. |
| Peter Haworth.      |                               |

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1644.

The free Grammare Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Adam Boultonn to the Gouvernors of the said Schoole of the Stocke, Interesse, and other monyes, Receued, by mee the said Adam, for the use of the said Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the accounte made by mee Adam Boulton the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1641, that there was then, in the hands of mee the said Adam, in Readie mony, iiij<sup>li</sup> xjs viij<sup>d</sup> And lickwyse in good bonds iiij<sup>xx</sup>xviij<sup>li</sup> vs vj<sup>d</sup> as appeares in the Condictions mencioned in the said Accounte, vidz: iiij<sup>xx</sup>xj<sup>li</sup> beinge principall mony, And viij<sup>li</sup> vs vj<sup>d</sup> Interesse mony, all which said somes, Amounts to - - - - - cjli xvijs ij<sup>d</sup>

Receued alsoe of Mr. Thomas Houghton the said xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1641. for the said Schole land in Mellor, for one yeares Rente, then Ended, and the last that haith beene Receued, beinge the some of - - - - - xli

Receued, at an assembly of Gouvernors the xvij<sup>th</sup> day of May 1642. of Mr. Richard Walmsley of Dunkenhalth Esq.: Then ellected Gouvernor, the some of - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>



There was at the same assembly, Mr. Henry Walmsley of Church, Mr. Edward Hoghton, and Mr. Henry White, Ellected Gouvernors and payed each x<sup>s</sup> which is - xxx<sup>s</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned to bee Receued, vidz: in Readie mony iij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> In goode bonds for principall, and Intereste, iiij<sup>xxvii</sup>li v<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> for the Schole lande x<sup>li</sup> And alsoe ij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> of the new Elected Gouvernors. All which somes Added together Amounts to - - - - - cxiiiij<sup>li</sup> vijs ijd

Out of which Receptes of cxiiiij<sup>li</sup> vijs ijd Receued by mee Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed as followeth, vidz:

Imprimis giuen Mr. Bradley the usher, at his displasinge, appointed by an Ordinance made December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1641, vidz: for teachinge the gramar Schollars halfe a quarter ij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> And for teachinge the petties j quarter other ij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> boith which somes is - vli

Item at an assembly the xviiij<sup>th</sup> day of Aprill 1642 Mr. Morrise was Elected usher. And it was ordered the same day Mr. Swinlehurst should haue for teachinge the petties one quarter the some of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>

Item the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1642. it was ordered the usher to bee payed for teachinge iij quarters of one yeare Endinge at Candlemas next after. the some of - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>

Item it was then alsoe Ordered that Mr. Swindelhurst, by Reason hee Could

Receue no money out of Crauen, I should  
lett him haue - - - - - vli

Item given Henry Baron for boardinge xxiiij  
yards in the Schoole house, and for makinge  
a new Cheeste, for the said Schoole, the  
some of - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>s</sup>

Item for xvj Sackes of mosse iiij<sup>s</sup> ffor latts and  
nayles ix<sup>d</sup>, ffor mossinge the said Schoole x<sup>s</sup>  
in all - - - - - xiiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Item December the xxj<sup>th</sup> 1643. at an assembly  
of Gouvernors, it was Ordered that Mr.  
Swinlehurst, by Reason noe mony Could  
bee Receued for the Schoole lande, that hee  
Should haue out of the Schoole Stocke the  
some of - - - - - xli

Item giuen the glasiars January the xvij<sup>th</sup> 1643.  
for xxxij foote of new glase; And leadinge  
xix foote of ould glase, the schoole windowes  
beinge in ill frame, beeinge broaken by the  
Souldiers And soe new glased, which Coste  
xv<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Morrisse the usher to make  
upp the Audite mony beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> the  
some of xli due to him for his wagis this  
Candlemas 1643. the some of - - - vli xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed Adam Boulton, for makinge this  
Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said somes of disbursments afore  
written beinge all added together, will  
Amounte in the whole to the some of - xxxviij<sup>li</sup> xviij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>



Which said some of xxxviiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> ijd<sup>d</sup> deducked  
 out of the some of cxiiij<sup>li</sup> vij<sup>s</sup> ijd<sup>d</sup>. And there  
 Remanes, de Claro - - - - - iij<sup>xx</sup>xv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of iij<sup>xx</sup>xv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> is due on these bonds here  
 after written, vidz :

|   |   |                    |
|---|---|--------------------|
| Robarte Lowde bonde due October 4 <sup>o</sup> 1644. for    | - | vli                |
| Richarde Hayhurst bond due October 4 <sup>o</sup> 1644. for |   | vli                |
| Thomas Aspden bonde due October 15 <sup>o</sup> 1644. for   |   | vli                |
| James Ryley bonde due October 21 <sup>o</sup> 1644. for     | - | xxli               |
| James Crosley bonde due December 2 <sup>o</sup> 1644. for   |   | xli                |
| John Wilkinson bonde due December 8 <sup>o</sup> 1644. for  |   | xli                |
| John Duckworth bond due february 4 <sup>o</sup> 1644. for   |   | iiij <sup>li</sup> |
| Robarte Sharples bond due Aprill 26 <sup>o</sup> 1645. for  | - | vli                |
| Thomas Holden bonde due May 10 <sup>o</sup> 1645. for       | - | xli                |

whole some due by bonds is - iij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of iij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> lente forth,  
 deducked out of the some of iij<sup>xx</sup>xv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>  
 afore mencioned to bee Remaininge de Claro.  
 And there Remanes in the hands of mee  
 Adam Boulton in Readie mony the some of xxx<sup>s</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge the some of  
 iij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> The Intereste there of is behinde  
 and unpaide, for the twoo last yeares, by  
 Reason of the distractions of the tymes,  
 and the somes will Amounte to - - - xj<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which iii somes last before mencioned, vidz :  
 of iij<sup>xx</sup>xiiij<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lente forth.  
 And xxx<sup>s</sup> mencioned to bee in Readie mony.  
 And of xj<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> beinge Intereste, to bee  
 Receued for the mony lent forth beinge all  
 added together, will make the whole Stocke,

of the Schoole mony in bonds, as appeares  
on the former leafe, and Readie mony. the  
x<sup>th</sup> of May, 1645, to Amounte to - iiij<sup>xx</sup>vijli vjs viij<sup>d</sup>

Beesids what further proffitt may arise out of the said  
bonds whereof some was due in October, 1644.

And three yeares Rents, all Readie due, for the Schoole  
Lande in Mellor, beinge now withoute a tenant.

Twoo yeares Rentes, of the said iij owinge by Mr. Hoghton  
deade, nothings worth. The therde yeares Rente owinge by  
Jenkin Gillibrande, who was taken by Mr. Hoghton  
appointment, with all his Cattell, in tyme of war, his beastes  
loste, he paid his Ransome to the Armie, Returned home and  
died, soe I looked for noe Rente.

Adam Bolton minister.

Peter Haworth.

Thomas Haworth.

Edward Ryshton.

William Marsden.

John Sharples.

Henry Walmsley.

Edward Houghton.

Gyles Bolton.

Thurstan Mawdesley.

Roger Gelibrond.

Att an assembly of Gouvernors att Blackborne this viij<sup>th</sup> of  
January, 1644, It is Ordered that Mr. Swinlehurst the  
Schoole Master beinge at wante of mony, beinge fyue Rents  
beehinde by Reason of the distracted tymes, That hee shall  
haue Twentie ffyue pounds out of the Stocke mony : till the  
Rents due to the said Schoole Come in. And then to bee  
added to the Stocke againe.

Richard Haworth.

Adam Bolton.

John Clayton.

Gyles Bolton.

Peter Haworth.

Thurstan Mawdesley.

Thomas Haworth.

Peter Edge.

Roger Gelibrond.

John Sharples.



It was Ordered December 1642. that the Master  
not Receiuinge the Martinmas Rent before,  
that then there should be lent him, just - vli

It was Ordered in December 1643. then the  
Master beinge three Rents behinde, that  
there should be lent him out of the stocke - xli

It was Ordered December 1644. then the Master  
beinge fyue Rents behinde, there should be  
lent him out the stocke, just - - - xxvli

October viij<sup>th</sup> 1645. I Adam Boulton Receued  
a noate from fyue of the Gouvernors, to giue  
the Master the some of - - - - xli

february, 1645, payed the Master accordinge  
to an Order than made, as appeares there by,  
the some of - - - - - xviiijli

July 1646. I Adam Boulton gaue the Master  
in Mr. Edge sighte in full of his wagis - xijli

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1645.

The free Gramar Schoole of queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors  
of the said Schoole, of the Stocke, Interesse, and other  
monyes, Receued for the use of the said Schoole, and of the  
Employment of the same.

It appeares by the accounte made by mee  
Adam Boulton, the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1644.  
that there was then in bonds principall mony  
iij<sup>xx</sup>xiiijli in Readie mony xxx<sup>s</sup>. And for  
Interest for twoo yeares then paste xjli xvjs  
viij<sup>d</sup> all which somes Amounts to - iij<sup>xx</sup>vijli vjs viij<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Roger Whaley for the Schole  
lande in Mellor, for parte of this yeare 1645.  
it lyinge Common till Whitsontide, and the  
assessments to pay from Mychalmas before,  
hee payinge all assesements this yeare and  
making fences, which was ill, hee payed - ijli x<sup>s</sup>

Receued, by mee Adam Boulton for Cattell  
distrained, at farnhill, in parte of arreragis  
of penalties, of Rents in arreare, in Auguste  
1645 which was sould for - - - - xxixli

Soe as the totall of the somes aboue men-  
tioned, to be Receued, vidz: in Readie  
mony xxx<sup>s</sup>, in bonds, principall and Interesse  
iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> xvjs viij<sup>d</sup> for the Schoole lande  
ijli x<sup>s</sup>. And for the Cattell xxixli. All  
which somes Amounts to the some of - cxviiijli xvjs viij<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of cxviiijli xvjs viij<sup>d</sup> Receued by mee  
Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed asfolloweth.

Imprimis giuen Mr. Swinlehurst accordinge  
to an Order made in January 1644 the  
some of - - - - - xxvli

Item giuen the usher, to make upp the Auditt  
mony beinge iiijli js iiij<sup>d</sup> the some of xli  
beinge his wages due this Candlemas 1644.  
the some of - - - - - vli xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen souldiers for stranninge, at farnhill,  
there meate and drinke, that day, and  
drivinge the Cattell strayed to Paitnowle,  
the some of - - - - - xix<sup>s</sup> vjd

Item giuen Thomas Horrockes, for his  
Charges, helpinge and advisinge - - - ijs vjd



Item for feching them at Paitnowle after the  
seidge was Rayسد - - - - - ijs vjd

Item for Reparinge the Schoole for latts iiij<sup>s</sup>  
for nayles xij<sup>d</sup> for mose xviii<sup>d</sup> for slaite vi<sup>d</sup>  
for lyme vjd all Comes to - - - vij<sup>s</sup> vjd

Item for xj day worke, and halfe at x<sup>d</sup> per day  
slayingte, and pointinge - - - - - ix<sup>s</sup> vjd

Item for breakinge open the Cheste where the  
Schoole evidence laye - - - - - iiij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Swindelhurst the Master  
October 1645. upon the Recepte of a noate  
under fyue of the gouernors hands the  
some of - - - - - xli

Item giuen Adam Boulton for makinge this  
Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said somes of disbursments afore  
written beinge all added together will  
Amounte to the some of - - - - - xliiiij<sup>li</sup> vjd

Which said some of xliiiij<sup>li</sup> vjd deducked out  
of the some of cxviiij<sup>li</sup> xvjs viij<sup>d</sup>. And there  
Remanes de Claro the some of - - - - - lxxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvjs ijd

Which said some of lxxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvjs ijd Remanes  
asfolloweth: vidz: parte in bonds: And  
parte in Readie mony.

|                            |   |   |   |   |                    |
|----------------------------|---|---|---|---|--------------------|
| Robarte Lowde on bonde     | - | - | - | - | vli                |
| Richarde Hayhurst on bonde | - | - | - | - | vli                |
| Thomas Aspden on bonde     | - | - | - | - | vli                |
| James Crosley on bonde     | - | - | - | - | xli                |
| John Wilkinson on bonde    | - | - | - | - | xli                |
| John Duckworth on bonde    | - | - | - | - | iiij <sup>li</sup> |
| Thomas Holden on bonde     | - | - | - | - | vli                |

Some is - - - xliiiij<sup>li</sup>

Alsoe due for Interesse as appeares by the  
last accounte the some of - - - - xj<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xliiij<sup>li</sup> principall, And the  
said xj<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> said to bee Interesse,  
added together, makes lv<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> which  
beinge deduckted out of lxxiiij<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> iij<sup>d</sup> afore  
mencioned, to bee Remaininge de Claro,  
And there Remanes in the hands of mee  
Adam Boulton in Readie mony, the some of xviiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

Beesids what may bee gotten for Interest of  
the aboue said xliiij<sup>li</sup> owinge by bonde, for  
the laste yeare.

Peter Edge.

Henry ffeilden.

Ralph Livesay.

Edward Houghton.

Roger Gelibrond.

Edward Rishton.

Att an Assembly of Gouvernors this ix<sup>th</sup> of february 1645.  
It is ordered that Mr. Swinlehurst the Schoole master, shall  
haue the some of xviiij<sup>li</sup> out of the aboue Remaninge some of  
xviiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>.

Peter Edge.

Henry ffeilden.

Ralph Livesay.

Edward Houghton.

Roger Gelibrond.

Edward Rishton.

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1646.

The ffree Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte maide by mee Adam Boulton to the  
Gouvernors of the said Schoole, of the Stocke, Interesse, and  
other monyes. Receued by mee the said Adam, for the use  
of the said Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte made the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December, 1645. That there was then in



Readie mony xviiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>, in good bonds  
 xliiiij<sup>li</sup>. And xj<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> Interesse mony  
 for ij yeares paste. All which said iij  
 Somes. Amounts to - - - - - lxxiiiij<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> ijd

Receued of Mr. John Livesey, the whole  
 yeares Rente, due for the Schoole lande in  
 Mellor, aboue the disbursments beinge - v<sup>li</sup> vs

Receued of the Sequestrator of Kildwicke, in  
 parte of the Arreares due to the Schoole  
 frome ffarnhill hall, demayne, July 1646.  
 the some of - - - - - xlj<sup>li</sup>

Receued more for Interesse upon Composition  
 in payinge in othere mony, some beinge  
 payed in March, some in May, and some in  
 June, which is yett in my hands unput  
 forth: soe Receued, the some of - - - iij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
 all Added to gether, will Amounte to the  
 some of - - - - - cxxiiiij<sup>li</sup> vs ijd

Out of which Receptes of cxxiiiij<sup>li</sup> vs ijd Receuede as aboue  
 written, there haith beene disbursed asfolloweth.

Imprimis giuen Mr. Swinlehurst accordinge  
 to an Order made the ix<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary 1645.  
 in parte of his wages, the some of - - - xviiij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Morrese the usher, the same  
 ix<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary 1645. in full of his wages  
 then due (to make upp the Audite money  
 beinge iij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup> ten pounds) the some of v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Swinlehurst the Schoole  
 master this June 1646. in full of his wages,  
 due at Whitsuntide laste, the some of - xij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Thomas Horrockes, the man that  
broughte the xli<sup>li</sup> ffrome ffarnhill hall, for  
his paynes, (the Master giuen ijs<sup>s</sup> vjd<sup>d</sup>) the  
some of - - - - - vij<sup>s</sup> vjd<sup>d</sup>

Item alowed the said Adam Boulton for  
makeinge the said Schoole accounte - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
beinge all Added to gether, Amounts in the  
whole to the some of - - - - - xxxvij<sup>li</sup> vjs<sup>s</sup> ijd<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xxxvij<sup>li</sup> vjs<sup>s</sup> ijd<sup>d</sup> deduckted  
out of the some of cxxiii<sup>li</sup> vs<sup>s</sup> ijd<sup>d</sup>. And there  
Remaynes de Claro - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>vij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>vij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> Remaynes as followeth,  
parte in bonds, and parte in Readie mony.

|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| John Duckworth bonde due february 4 <sup>o</sup> 1646 - | iiij <sup>li</sup> |
| Lawrence Duxburie bonde due Auguste, 1647               | xli <sup>li</sup>  |
| Richarde Hayhurst bonde due October, 1647               | vli <sup>li</sup>  |
| Robarte Lowde bonde due October, 1647 -                 | vli <sup>li</sup>  |
| Thomas Aspden bonde due October, 1647 -                 | vli <sup>li</sup>  |

|                 |                    |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| Some lente is - | lixi <sup>li</sup> |
|-----------------|--------------------|

Which said some of lixi<sup>li</sup> lent forth, deduckted  
out of the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>vij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> afore men-  
tioned to bee Remaninge de Claro. And  
there Remanes in Readie mony, over and  
aboue the mony lent forth, the some of - xxvij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth beinge the some of  
lixi<sup>li</sup> it appeares that the Intereste there of,  
due, at and before the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December,  
1647, will Amounte to - - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> vd

Which three somes laste aboue mencioned  
vid: of lixi<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lent forth;



And xxvij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> mencioned to bee in Readie mony, And of iiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> beinge Interest, due for the mony lente forth. beinge all added to gether, will make the whole Stocke, of the Schole mony, in good bonds, and Readie mony, the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1647. to Amounte, to the some of - - - iiij<sup>xxx</sup> xj<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>

John Clayton.  
Henry ffeilden.  
Peter Edge.

Thomas Haworth.  
John Sharples.  
Henry Walmsley.

Att an Assembly of Gouvernors the iiij<sup>th</sup> day of January 1646. there was Elected gouvernors the persons followinge vidz: Alexander Osbaldeston of Osbaldeston Esq: Thomas Greenefeilde, John Lawe, John Abbott, Thomas Whaley of Ichill, Thurston ffogg, And William Walmsley: And euery of them paid x<sup>s</sup> a peece, which is iiij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>.

John Clayton.  
Thomas Haworth.  
Henry Walmsley.

Peter Edge.  
Henry ffeilden.  
John Sharples.

21<sup>o</sup> die December 1647.

Att an assemblie of the Gouvernors of the free Grammar Schole of queene Elizabeth in Blackburne they did Ellecte & chosse Mr. Clayton now vicar of Blackeburne Collonel Nicholas Shutlworth Robert Redding gent & Richard Hoghton gent & Lawrence Haworth of Preston Innkeeper, And the said Collonel Shutleworth Mr. Redding Mr. Hoghton & Lawrence Haworth Gouvernors and they did euery one of them, at theire ellection gyue x<sup>s</sup> a peece, for augmentacion of the schole stocke, which said money was paid unto Adam Bolton witness our hands

John Talbott.  
John Clayton.  
Ralph Liuesay.

Roger Gelibrond.  
Peter Edge.  
Edward Rishton.

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1647.

The free Gramar Schoole of queene Elizabeth, in  
Blackborne.

The Account made by mee Adam Boulton, to the  
Gouernors of the saide Schoole, of the Stocke, Interesse, and  
other monyes, Receued by mee the said Adam for the use  
of the said Schoole, And of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte made the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December 1646 that there was then in  
Readie mony xxvij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup>. And lickwyse in  
good bonds lxiiij<sup>li</sup> xviiijs v<sup>d</sup> as appeares in  
the Condicions mencioned in the said  
accounte vidz: lix<sup>li</sup> principall mony, And  
iiij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> Interesse mony. All which  
said somes beinge added together, Amounts  
to the some of - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xj<sup>li</sup> xiijs v<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. Conliffe in full for all the  
Arreares, ffor Rente due to the schoole,  
ffrom ffarnhill, this iiij<sup>th</sup> of January 1646  
the some of - - - - - x<sup>li</sup>

Receued the said iiij<sup>th</sup> of January 1646 of Mr.  
Conliffe upon Composition for the nomina\*  
pena, ten pounds: where of giuen the  
Schole master by the appointmente of the  
gouernors six pounds giuen Adam Boulton  
for his paynes in Straninge at ffarnhill hall  
demayne fortie shillings. And the Reste, is  
Entered in this Accounte, in lewe of  
charges, beinge the some of - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Receued att an assembye of Gouernors, the  
said fourth day of January 1646 of  
Alexander Osbaldeston, of Osbaldeston

\* See pp. 27, 32.



Esqr: Thomas Greenfeild, John Lawe  
senior, John Abbott, Thomas Whaley,  
Thurston ffogge, and William Walmsley,  
gentillmen. Than Elected Gouvernors ten  
shillings each: which is - - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>

Soe as the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to bee Receved vidz: In Readie mony  
xxvij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup>. In good bonds principall and  
Intereste lxij<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> ffor the Schoole  
Rente as aboue frome ffarnhill xij<sup>li</sup>. And of  
the Elected Gouvernors iiij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> all which said  
somes, Added together, Amounts to - - cvij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of cvij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> Receued by mee  
Adam Boultonn, there haith beene disbursed, asfolloweth.

Imprimis giuen Mr. Morrise the usher, the  
ix<sup>th</sup> of ffbruary 1646 in full of his wagis  
then due (to make upp the Auditt mony  
beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup> tenpounds) the some of - vi<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam, for makinge  
this accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said twoo seuerall somes of disburs-  
ments beinge Added together, Amounts to  
the some of - - - - - vj<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of vj<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij deducked  
out of the some of cvij<sup>li</sup> iij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>. And there  
Remanes De Claro - - - - - cli iijs ix<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of cli iijs ix<sup>d</sup> is Employed as  
here after ffolloweth, vidz lent William  
Waterworth and others till the x<sup>th</sup> of March  
1647 the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. Lent

Richarde Hall, and others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of  
march 1647 the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>.  
Lent Mr. John Ainsworth and others till the  
iiij<sup>th</sup> of Auguste 1648 the principall some  
of x<sup>li</sup>. Lent Richarde Hayhurst and  
others till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of October 1648 the  
principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Lent Robert Lowde  
and others till the v<sup>th</sup> of October 1648 the  
principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Lent Thomas  
Aspden and others till the xv<sup>th</sup> of October  
1648 the principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. All which  
said principall somes, Amounts to - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xv<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to  
bee lente forth deducted out of the some of  
cli iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> afore mencioned to bee Remain-  
inge De Claro. And there Remanes in the  
hands of mee Adam Boulton in Readie  
mony, over and aboue the mony lente forth  
the some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth, beinge the some of  
iiij<sup>xx</sup>xv<sup>li</sup> it appeares that the Interesse  
thereof, to bee Receued, att and beefore the  
xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1648 will Amounte  
to the some of - - - - - vij<sup>li</sup> xijs

Which said three somes laste above men-  
tioned, vidz : of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee  
lente forth. And v<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> mencioned to  
bee in Readie mony. And of vij<sup>li</sup> xijs  
beinge Interesse, to bee Receued, for the  
mony lente forth, beinge all added to  
gether; will make the whole stocke, of the  
Schoole mony, in good bonds, and Readie  
mony, the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1648 to  
Amounte to - - - - - cvij<sup>li</sup> xvjs ix<sup>d</sup>



Att an assemblie of the Gouvernors upon the xij daye of Januarie 1647, wee whose names are subscribed doe approve of the accountps aforesaid, And did then also allow to the schole master to bee added to his wage v<sup>li</sup>, and to the usher x<sup>ls</sup>, And theire augmentacion to Contynue during the pleasure of the Gouvernors, And the augmentacion money to bee paid, att everie maye daye.

|                 |                        |
|-----------------|------------------------|
| John Clayton.   | John Talbott.          |
| Leonard Clayton | Alexander Osbaldeston. |
| Peter Edge.     | Ralph Liuesay.         |
| Robert Redding. | Richard Hoghton.       |
| Thomas Whalley  | John Abbott.           |

ffbruary 1647. The names of the Gouvernors of the free Gramar Schoole of queene Elizabeth, in Blackborne, as they are att this day.

|                                 |   |
|---------------------------------|---|
| 1 + Sir John Talbott Knyghte    | 14 Ralphe Livesey.                      |
| dead <sup>2</sup> .             | 15 Leonard Clayton vicker.              |
| 2 + Sir Thomas Barton           | 16 + John Clayton deade <sup>2</sup> .  |
| Knyghte dead <sup>2</sup> .     | 17 John Brooke.                         |
| 3 Richarde Sherborne Esqr.      | 18 + Thomas Mayre dead.                 |
| 4 Richarde Shuttilworth         | 19 Peeter Haworth.                      |
| Esqr.                           | 20 + Roger Gelibrande dead.             |
| 5 Richarde Walmsley Esqr.       | 21 Thomas Haworth.                      |
| John Talbott Esqr. <sup>2</sup> | 22 Edwarde Hoghton.                     |
| 6 John Braddell Esqr. dead.     | 23 Henry Walmsley attorney.             |
| 7 Colonell Nicholas Shuttil-    | <sup>2</sup> William Yaits.             |
| worth.                          | <sup>2</sup> John Talbott.              |
| 8 Richarde Haworth Esqr.        | <sup>2</sup> Ellice Eidge.              |
| 9 John Ainsworth Esqr.          | <sup>2</sup> James Whaley, ducker.*     |
| 10 + John Warde phisition.      | 24 + Robarte Redinge Mrs.               |
| 11 Thomas Walmsley of           | fleetwood's officer dead <sup>2</sup> . |
| Coldcoates.                     | 25 Richarde Hoghton mort.               |
| 12 Thomas Gelibrande.           | 26 Henry ffeilden.                      |
| 13 Richarde Walmsley of         | 27 Edwarde Rishton.                     |
| Showley.                        | 28 William Marsden.                     |

\* In the account of the fighting around Blackburn during the Parliamentary wars, a house of "Duke, of the Bank," is mentioned, probably now known as the "Old Bank House," Duke's Brow.

|    |                                      |    |                                    |
|----|--------------------------------------|----|------------------------------------|
| 29 | Peeter Edge deade.                   | 49 | Thomas Whaley, Ichill.             |
| 40 | + John Sharples deade <sup>2</sup> . | 50 | Thurston fogge.                    |
| 41 | Edmonde Cockshoote.                  | 51 | William Walmsley.                  |
| 42 | Thomas ffish.                        | 52 | Lawrence Haworth deade.            |
| 43 | Henry Walmsley mellor<br>dead.       |    | + Adam Bolton deade <sup>2</sup> . |
| 44 | Alexander Osbaldeston<br>Esqr.       |    | Randell Sharples.                  |
| 45 | Richarde Harwoode dead.              |    | Thurston Mawdesley.                |
| 46 | John Smith deade.                    |    | <sup>2</sup> John Clayton gent.    |
| 47 | + John Lawe deade <sup>2</sup> .     |    | Lancelott Boulton.                 |
| 48 | John Abbott.                         |    | Mr. John Law.                      |
|    |                                      |    | James Walmisley.                   |

N.B.—Numbers and crosses in different ink.

<sup>2</sup> Written in different hand, apparently at a later date.

Roger Gelibrond writes in the Minute Book till and including  
21 December, 1661.

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1648.

The ffree Grammer Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Adam Boulton, to the  
Gouernors of the said Schole, of the Stocke, Interesse and  
other monyes, Receued by mee the said Adam for the use of  
the said Schoole. And of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte made the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December 1647 that there was then in  
Ready mony v<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>. And likewise in  
good bonds cij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> as appeares in the  
Condicions mencioned in the said Accounte  
vidz: iiij<sup>xxv</sup> v<sup>li</sup> beinge principall mony.  
And vij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> beinge Interest mony. All  
which said iij somes beinge Added together,  
Amounts to the some of - - - - cvij<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. John Livesey the whole yeares  
Rente of the Schole land in Mellor, due for  
the yeare 1647 the some of - - - - vj<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>



Receued of Mr. William Yaites the whole  
 yeares Rente ffor the Schole lande in  
 Mellor, due for this yeare, 1648 the some of x<sup>li</sup>

Receued, att an assembly of Gouernors the  
 xij<sup>th</sup> day of January, 1647, of Collonell  
 Nicholas Shuttillworth, Mr. Richarde Hogh-  
 ton, Mr. Robert Riddinge, And Mr.  
 Lawrence Haworthe, Than elected Gouer-  
 nors, euery one x<sup>s</sup> which is - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned to  
 bee Receued, vidz : for Readie mony v<sup>li</sup> iii<sup>s</sup>  
 ix<sup>d</sup> In good bonds principall and Interest  
 cij<sup>li</sup> xi<sup>s</sup> for the Schole lande xvj<sup>li</sup> xii<sup>s</sup> iii<sup>d</sup>.  
 And ffor the Elected Gouernors ij<sup>li</sup>. All  
 which somes Added together. Amounts to  
 the some of - - - - - cxxvj<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> jd

Out of which Receptes of cxxvj<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> jd Receued by mee  
 Adam Boulton there hath beene disbursed asfolloweth.

Imprimis given Mr. Morrise the usher this x<sup>th</sup>  
 of ffebruary, 1647, in ffull of his wages then  
 due (to make up the Auditt mony beinge  
 iiij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> iii<sup>d</sup> Ten pounds) the some of - - v<sup>li</sup> xviii<sup>s</sup> vii<sup>d</sup>

Item given A. Smith ffor ij lockes, and keyes,  
 for a Cheste in the Schoole, And the door  
 of the house of office - - - - - ij<sup>s</sup>

Item given the Schoole master a gratuitie this  
 4<sup>th</sup> of May, 1648 accordinge to an order  
 made the xij<sup>th</sup> of January, 1647, vidz :  
 yearly duringe pleasure, the some of - - v<sup>li</sup>

Item given the usher the iiij of May, 1648, as  
 a benevolence according to an order made

att an assemblie of the Gouvernors the xii<sup>th</sup>  
of January, 1647, vids: yearly duringe  
pleasure, the some of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam ffor makinge this  
Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which ffyve seuerall somes of Disbursments  
beinge all added together, Amounts to the  
some of - - - - - xiiij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xiiij<sup>li</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> deduckted,  
Out of the some of cxxvj<sup>li</sup> xs jd. And there  
Remaynes de Claro the some of - - cxij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> vd

Which said some of cxij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> vd is Employed  
as hereafter ffolloweth, vids: Lente William  
Shorrocke and others: till the xx<sup>th</sup> of Ja:  
1648 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lente  
William Chewe and others till the vi<sup>th</sup> of  
ffbruary, 1648, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>.  
Lente William Waterworthe and others till  
the xx<sup>th</sup> of ffbruary, 1648, the principall  
some of xx<sup>li</sup>. Lente Richarde Hayhurste  
and others till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of October, 1649,  
the principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Lente Thomas  
Aspden and others till the xv<sup>th</sup> of October,  
1649, the principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Lente  
Robert Lowde and others till the v<sup>th</sup> of  
October, 1649, the principall some of v<sup>li</sup>.  
Lente Mr. John Ainsworthe and others till  
the iiij<sup>th</sup> of Auguste, 1649, the principall  
some of x<sup>li</sup>. All which said principall  
somes, Amounts to the some of - - iiij<sup>xx</sup> xv<sup>li</sup>

Which said somes of iiij<sup>xx</sup> xv<sup>li</sup> Lente forthe  
deduckted out of the some cxij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> vd afore  
mencioned to bee Remayninge de Claro.



And there Remayns in the hands of mee  
Adam Boulton, in Ready mony, Ouer and  
about the mony Lente forthe the some of - xvij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth beinge the some of  
iiij<sup>xx</sup> xv<sup>li</sup> it appeares that the Intereste there  
of, to bee Receaved, att and before the xxj<sup>th</sup>  
day of December, 1649, will Amounte to  
the some of - - - - - vij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup>

Which three somes last above mencioned,  
vids: of iiij<sup>xx</sup> xv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lente  
forth. And of xvij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> mencioned to  
bee in Readie mony, And of vij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> beinge  
Intereste to bee Receaved, for the mony  
Lente forth beinge all added together, will  
make the whole Stocke, of the Schoole  
mony, in good bonds, and Ready mony,  
the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1649. Amounte to cxx<sup>li</sup> js v<sup>d</sup>

The accoumpts for this last yeare were examined by the  
Gouernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1648, and approved &  
allowed of by us:

|                        |                    |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| John Talbott.          | William Walmisley. |
| Alexander Osbaldeston. | Henry ffeilden.    |
| Leonard Clayton.       | Jo: Lawe.          |
| Peter Edge.            | Roger Gelibrond.   |

December the xxj<sup>th</sup>, 1649.

The ffree Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte maide by mee Adam Boulton, to the  
Gouernors, of the said Schoole, of the Stocke, Intereste, and  
other monyes, Receued by mee the said Adam, for the use  
of the said Scholle; and of the Implaymente, of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte maide the xxj<sup>th</sup>  
of December, 1648, that there was then in

Readie mony xvij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> vd. And lickwyse in  
 good bonds cij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> as appeares in the  
 condicions mencioned in the said Accounte,  
 vids: iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> beinge principall mony,  
 and vij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> beinge Intereste mony,  
 All which said iij somes, beinge added  
 together. Amounts to the some of - - cxx<sup>li</sup> js vd

Receved of Mr. William Yaits the whole  
 yeares Rente for the Schoole lande in  
 Mellor, due for this yeare 1649, the some of xli

Soe the totall of the somes above mencioned  
 to bee Receved, in Readie mony xvij<sup>li</sup> ix<sup>s</sup> vd  
 In good bonds, principall, and Intereste,  
 cij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup>. And for the Schoole Lande xli  
 which somes Added together: Amounts to cxxx<sup>li</sup> js vd

Out of which Receptes of cxxx<sup>li</sup> js vd Receved, by mee  
 Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed, vids:

Imprimis giuen Mr. Morrise the usher this  
 x<sup>th</sup> of february 1648 in full of his wages  
 then due (to make upp the Audite mony,  
 beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup> ten pounds) the some of vli xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Swindelhurste the Schoole  
 master, your benevolence the iiij<sup>th</sup> of May  
 1649. Accordinge to an Order, maid the  
 xij<sup>th</sup> of January 1647, yearly duringe  
 pleasure - - - - - vli

Item giuen Mr. Morrise the usher, the iiij<sup>th</sup> of  
 May, 1649, your benevolence, Accordinge  
 to the said order, maid the said xij<sup>th</sup> of  
 January, yearly duringe pleasure, the some  
 of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. William Yaits in full of a  
 noate, under his hande, for xvij bookes,



- boughte att London, and carriadge downe,  
 beinge nominated, what bookes should bee  
 boughte, by Mr. Claiton, vicker: and by  
 the Gouvernors Concente the some of - - - vj<sup>li</sup> iijs
- Item paid Henry Baron, for mendinge the  
 Schoole flores, and the deskes as by a noate  
 under John Lawes hande, Aprill, 1649, the  
 some of - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>
- Item paid John Pollarde for leadinge slaite  
 May, 1649 - - - - - ijs ix<sup>d</sup>
- Item paid John Lawe noate, for Slaytinge,  
 Lyme, and Plasteringe - - - - - xv<sup>s</sup>
- Item paid on John Lawe noate for glasinge,  
 the Schoole windowes, for a sande glase,  
 and for Repayringe the house of Office, the  
 some of - - - - - xxiijs v<sup>d</sup>
- Item giuen John Lawe, the same tyme, a debte  
 Owinge the glasier for mendinge the  
 Schoole windowes, in winter 1648, and  
 allowed on by the gouvernors, the some of iiijs ijd
- Item Allowed the said Adam for keepinge this  
 Accounte, the some of - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>
- Which said seuerall somes of disbursments  
 beinge all Added, together, Amounts, to  
 the some of - - - - - xxiiij<sup>li</sup> vijs
- Which said some of xxiiij<sup>li</sup> vijs deduckted out  
 of the some of cxxx<sup>li</sup> js v<sup>d</sup> And there  
 Remaynes De Claro, the some of - - - cvj<sup>li</sup> xiijs v<sup>d</sup>
- Which said some of cvj<sup>li</sup> xiijs v<sup>d</sup> is Employed  
 as hereafter followeth, vids: Lente Thomas  
 Ashton and others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of January

1649 the principall Some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lente William Shorrocke and others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of february 1649 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lente William Waterworth and others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of february, 1649 the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. Lente Richarde Hayhurst and others the principall some of v<sup>li</sup> till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of October 1650. Lente John Lomas and others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of October, 1650 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lente Mr. Ainsworth of Plesington and others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of October : 1650 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. All which said principall somes, Added to gether, Amounts to the some of - - - iiij<sup>xxvli</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup> and xv<sup>li</sup> lente forth : deducted out of the some of cvj<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> afore mencioned to bee Remaninge De Claro. And there Remaynes in the hands of mee Adam Boulton in Readie mony : Ouer and aboue the mony lente forth the some of - - - - - xj<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth beinge the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup> xv<sup>li</sup> it appeares that the Interesse thereof, to be Receued, att or beefore the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1650 will Amounte to vij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup>

Which iij somes laste aboue mencioned vids : of iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> beinge said to bee lente forth. And of xj<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in Readie mony : And of vij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> beinge Interesse, to bee Receued, for the mony lente forthe : beinge all added to gether, will make, the whole stocke, of the Schoole mony : in good bonds, and Readie mony, the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1650. Amounte to the some of - - - - - cxiiiij<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> v<sup>d</sup>



The accountps for this yeare were examined by the  
Gouernors whose names are subscribed the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
Decembr 1649, & approved & allowed by ue.

John Talbott.  
Leonard Clayton.  
Ralph : Liuesay.  
Henry ffeilden.

Edward Rishton.  
Jo : Lawe.  
Roger Gelibrond.

December ; xxj<sup>th</sup> 1650.

The ffree Grammer Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Adam Boulton, to the  
Gouernors, of the said Schoole, of the Stocke, Interesse, and  
other monyes, Receued by mee the said Adam, for the use  
of the said Schoole, And of the Implaymente of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte made the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December, 1649, that there was then, in  
Readie mony xj<sup>li</sup> xiijs v<sup>d</sup>. And lickwyse  
in good bonds cij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> as appeares in the  
Condicions mencioned, in the said Accounte,  
vids : iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> principall mony. And  
vij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> beinge Interesse mony. All which  
said iij somes, beinge Added to gether.  
Amounts to - - - - - cxiiij<sup>li</sup> vjs v<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. William Yaites, the whole  
yeares Rente, for the schoole lande in  
Mellor : due for this yeare 1650, the some of

xli

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned,  
to bee Receued, vids : in Readie mony  
xj<sup>li</sup> xiijs v<sup>d</sup>. In good bonds, principall and  
Interesse cij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup>. And for the Schoole  
lande xli all which somes Added together.

Amounts to - - - - - cxxiiij<sup>li</sup> vjs v<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of cxxiiij<sup>li</sup> vjs v<sup>d</sup> Receued by mee Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed, as followeth.

Imprimis giuen Mr. Morrise the usher the viij<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary 1649 in full of his wagis (to make upp the Auditt mony, beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup> ten pounds) the some of - - v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Swinlehurst the Schoole master his Augmentacion, the iiij<sup>th</sup> of May 1650. Accordinge to an order maide January, 1647, the some of - - - v<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Morrise the usher, his Augmentacion the iiij<sup>th</sup> of May, 1650. Accordinge to an Order maid January, 1647, the some of - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam for keepinge this Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>  
Which said seuerall somes of disburs-  
ments beinge all added to gether;  
Amounts to - - - - - xiiij<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xiiij<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup> deduckted,  
Out of the some of cxxiiij<sup>li</sup> vjs v<sup>d</sup>. And  
there Remaynes De Claro the some of - cli vijs ix<sup>d</sup>\*

Which said some of cli vijs ix<sup>d</sup> is Employed as  
here after followeth vids: Lent Thomas  
Ashton and others, till the xx<sup>th</sup> of January  
1650 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lente John  
Darwen and others, till the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
ffebruary: 1650, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>.  
Lent Mr. Ainsworth of Plesington and  
others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of Auguste 1651 the  
principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Lente John Lomas  
and others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of October 1651 the

\* £10 short.



principall some of xli. All which said  
 principall somes. Added together. Amounts  
 to - - - - - lxxli

Which said some of lxxli lente forth:  
 deduckted out of the some of cli vijs ix<sup>d</sup> a  
 fore mencioned, to bee Remaininge De  
 Claro. And there Remaynes in the hands  
 of mee Adam Boulton, in Readie mony,  
 Ouer and aboue, the mony lent forth the  
 some of - - - - - xxxli vijs ix<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth, beinge the some  
 of lxxli it appeares that the Interesse there  
 of, to bee Receued, att or beefore the xxj<sup>th</sup>  
 day of December, 1651, will Amounte to - vli xij<sup>s</sup>

Which three somes last before mencioned,  
 vids: of lxxli beinge said to bee lente forth.  
 And of xxxli vijs ix<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in  
 Readie mony. And of vli xij<sup>s</sup> beinge  
 Interesse to bee Receued, for the mony  
 lente forth beinge all Added together, will  
 make the whole stocke, of the Schoole  
 mony: in good bonds, and Readie mony:  
 the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1651. Amounte to cvli xix<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

The accoumpts for this yeare were examined by the  
 Gouernors whose names were subscribed, & approved of,  
 the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1650.

|                  |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| John Talbott.    | Edward Rishton.  |
| Leonard Clayton. | Jo: Lawe.        |
| Ralph: Livesay.  | Roger Gelibrond. |
| Henry ffeilden.  |                  |

December xxj<sup>th</sup>, 1651.

The ffree Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
 Blackborne.

The Accounte maide by mee Adam Boulton, to the  
 Gouernors of the said Schoole of the Stocke, Interesse, and

other monyes Receued, by mee the said Adam, for the use of the saide Schoole, And of the Imployment of the same.

Item it appeares by the Accounte maide the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1650, that there was then in Readie mony, xxx<sup>li</sup> vijs ix<sup>d</sup>. And lickewyse in good bonds, lxxv<sup>li</sup> xijs as appeares in the Conditions mencioned in the said Accounte, vids: lxx<sup>li</sup> principall, mony. And v<sup>li</sup> xijs beinge Interest mony: All which said three somes, beinge added together makes - - - - - cv<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. William Yaites the whole yeares Rente for the Schoole lande in Mellor, due for the yeare paste, 1651, the some of - - - - - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned to bee Receued, vids: in Readie mony xxx<sup>li</sup> vijs ix<sup>d</sup>. In good bonds principall, and Interest lxxv<sup>li</sup> xijs. And for the Schoole lande, x<sup>li</sup>. All which somes Added to gether: Amounte to - - - - - cxv<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of cxv<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup> Receued by mee Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed, as followeth.

Imprimis giuen Mr. Morrise the usher the viij<sup>th</sup> of february 1650 in full of his wages (to make upp the Auditt mony, beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup> ten pounds) the some of - - - v<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Swinlehurst, the Schoole master his Augmentacion, the iiij<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1651. Accordinge to an Order maide January 1647 the some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Morrise, the usher; his Augmentacion, the iiij<sup>th</sup> day of May 1651.



Accordinge to an Order made, January :  
1647, the some of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item Allowed, the said Adam, for keepinge  
the said Accounte, the some of - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said somes of disbursments beinge  
all Added together, Amounts to - - - xiiij<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xiiij<sup>li</sup> xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>  
deducked, out of the some of cxvli xix<sup>s</sup> ix<sup>d</sup>.  
And there Remaynes de Claro the some of cij<sup>li</sup> js j<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of cij<sup>li</sup> js j<sup>d</sup> is Employed, as  
hereafter followeth, vids: lent Thomas  
Ashton, and others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of January  
1651 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item: lent  
John Darwen and others till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of  
february 1651 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>.  
Item lente John Astley and others till the  
iiij<sup>th</sup> of february, 1651, the principall some  
of xx<sup>li</sup>. Item lente Arthur Piccopp, and  
others, till the xxj<sup>th</sup> of May, 1652, the  
principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Item: lente Mr.  
John Ainsworth of Pleasington, and others  
till the xx<sup>th</sup> of Auguste, 1652, the principall  
some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lente John Lomas, and  
others, till the xx<sup>th</sup> of October, 1652, the  
principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. All which said  
principall somes; Added together. Amounts  
to, the some of - - - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xvli

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xvli lent forth:  
deducked Out of the some of cij<sup>li</sup> js j<sup>d</sup> afore  
mencioned to bee Remaninge De Claro.  
And there Remaynes in the hands of mee  
Adam Boulton, in Readie mony: over and  
aboue, the mony lente forth the some of - vij<sup>li</sup> js j<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lent forth, beinge the some of  
 iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> it appeares, that the Interesse  
 there of after vj<sup>li</sup> per cent : att and beefore  
 the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1652, will  
 Amount to - - - - - vli xiiij<sup>s</sup>.

Which three somes laste beefore mencioned,  
 vids : of iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> beinge said to bee lente  
 forth. And of vij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup> mencioned, to be in  
 Readie mony. And of vli xiiij<sup>s</sup> beinge said  
 to be Interesse, to be Receued for the mony  
 lente forth, beinge all Added to gether, will  
 make the whole Stocke, of the Schoole  
 mony, in good bonds, and Readie mony :  
 the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1652. Amounte to - cvij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup>

The accoumpts for this yeare were examined by the  
 Gouvernors whose names are subscribed and were approved of  
 the xx<sup>th</sup> daye of April 1652.

Leonard Clayton.  
 Peter Haworth.  
 Henry ffeilden.  
 John Sharples.

Roger Gelibrond.  
 John Abbott.  
 John Lawe.  
 Thurstan ffogge.

The ffree Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
 Blackborne.

December xxj<sup>th</sup> 1652.

The Accounte maide by mee Adam Boulton, to the  
 Gouvernors of the said Schoole, of the stocke, Interesse, and  
 other moneys, Receued by mee, the said Adam, for the use  
 of the said Schoole, And of the Implaymente, of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte, maide the xxj<sup>th</sup>  
 of December, 1651, That there was then in  
 Readie mony, viij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup>. And lickwyse in  
 good bonds cli xiiij<sup>s</sup> as appeares in the



Condicions, mencioned, in the said Accounte,  
 vids: iiij<sup>xx</sup>xv<sup>li</sup> principall mony: And  
 v<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup>, beinge said to bee Intereste mony:  
 all which said somes, beinge Added  
 together: Amounts to - - - - - cvij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. William Yaits, the whole  
 yeares Rente for the Schoole lande in  
 Mellor due for this yeare 1652, the some of - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes above mencioned,  
 to bee Receued vids: in Readie mony  
 vij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup> In good bonds: principall, and  
 Intereste, cl<sup>i</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup>. And for the Schoole  
 lande x<sup>li</sup>. All which three somes, Added  
 to gether, Amounts to - - - - - cxvij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of cxvij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> j<sup>d</sup>  
 Receued by mee Adam Boulton, there haith  
 beene disbursed as followeth.

Imprimis, giuen Mr. Morrise the usher, the  
 xvij<sup>th</sup> day of february, 1651, in full of his  
 wagis: (to make upp the Auditt mony  
 beinge iiij<sup>li</sup> j<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> ten pounds) the some of - v<sup>li</sup> xviii<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item: giuen Mr. Swindlehurst the Schoole  
 Master, his Augmentacion the ffourth day  
 of May, 1652, Accordinge to an Order  
 maide January, 1647, the some of - - - v<sup>li</sup>

Item: giuen Mr. Morrise the usher, his  
 Augmentacion the xj<sup>th</sup> of May, 1652,  
 Accordinge to an Order maide January,  
 1647, the some of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item: Allowed the said Adam, for keepinge  
 the saide Schoole Accounte - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of disbursements  
 beinge all Added together, Amounts to - xiiij<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xiiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> deducked  
out of the some of cxvij<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> jd, And there  
Remaynes De Claro the some of - - - ciiij<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> vd

Which said some of ciiij<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> vd is Employed  
as here after followeth, vids : Lente Thomas  
Ashton and others till the xxij<sup>th</sup> of January,  
1652, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item Lente  
John Darwen and others till the viij<sup>th</sup> of  
february, 1652, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>.  
Item lent John Astley and others till the  
iiij<sup>th</sup> of february, 1652, the principall some  
of xx<sup>li</sup>. Item Lente Arthure Piccopp and  
others till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of May, 1653, the  
principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Lent Mr. Ainsworth  
and others, the principall some of xli  
untill the xx<sup>th</sup> of Auguste, 1653. All  
which said principall somes, Added to-  
gether, Amounts to - - - - - lxxxv<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of lxxxv<sup>li</sup> lent forth :  
deducked, out of the some of ciiij<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> vd  
a fore mencioned, to bee Remaninge  
De Clayro. And there Remaynes in the  
hands of mee Adam Boulton, in Readie  
mony, over and above the mony lente forth,  
the some of - - - - - xviiij<sup>li</sup> xvijs<sup>s</sup> vd

Alsoe the mony lente forth beinge the some of  
lxxxv<sup>li</sup> it appeares that the Interesse there  
of after vj<sup>li</sup> per cent. att or beefore the  
xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1653, will Amounte  
to - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> ijs

Which three somes haste beefore mencioned,  
vids : of lxxxv<sup>li</sup> beinge saide to bee lente  
forth : And of xviiij<sup>li</sup> xvijs<sup>s</sup> vd mencioned to  
bee in Readie mony. And of v<sup>li</sup> ijs beinge  
Intereste, to bee Receued for the mony lente



forth: beinge all added to gether: will  
make the whole Stocke, of the Schoole  
mony: in good bonds, and Readie mony,  
the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1653, Amounte to - cviiij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> yd

Att an assemblie of the Gouernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December,  
1652, the did ellecte Adam Bolton to bee a Gouernor of the  
Schole of Blackburne, in Regard of his great panes taken  
about the Scholle busines. And the same daye the  
accountps were Read and approved on the same daye. And  
it was ordered that the usher should haue iiij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup>, And  
that some to bee Added to the stocke when the money is  
gotten from the Auditt or in lew of the Auditt money.

Alexander Osbaldeston.  
Leonard Clayton.  
Ralph Livesay.  
Peter Haworth.  
Thomas Haworth.

Roger Gelibrond.  
William Marsden.  
Thomas Whalley.  
John Abbott.  
John Lawe.

Att an assemblie of the Gouernors upon the xj<sup>th</sup> daye of  
Januarie, 1652, It was ordered that the Decree whereby the  
iiij<sup>li</sup> vijs iiij<sup>d</sup> appeared to bee due to the Schole, out of the  
Late Kings Revenewes, (payable att the Audit att Lancaster)  
bee deliuered to Mr. John Sharples, and by him to bee  
deliuered to Mr. Henrie Whithalge, and the same to be  
shewed by him before the Comittee for that purposse, for  
Confirmacion of the said Rent of iiij<sup>li</sup> vijs iiij<sup>d</sup>.

John Talbott.  
Alexander Osbaldeston.  
Leonard Clayton.  
Ralph Luesay.  
John Ainsworth.  
Edward Houghton.  
Edmund Cockeshutt.

William Marsden.  
William Walmisley.  
Edward Rishton.  
John Abbott.  
John Lawe.  
Thurstan flogge.  
Roger Gelibrond.

December xxj<sup>th</sup>, 1653.

The ffree Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte maide by mee Adam Boulton to the  
Gouernors of the saide Schoole, of the Stocke, Interesse, and  
other monyes, Receued by mee the said Adam, for the use  
of the said Schoole, and of the Employmente of the same.

It appeares by the Acounte maide the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
December, 1652, That there was then, in  
Readie mony xvij<sup>li</sup> xvijs v<sup>d</sup>. And lickwyse  
in good bonds iiij<sup>xx</sup>li ijs as appeares in the  
Condicions mencioned in the said Accounts,  
vids: iiij<sup>xx</sup>li principall monys: And vli ijs  
beinge Interesse mony: All which said  
somes beinge Added together, makes - - cvij<sup>li</sup> xixs v<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. Leonarde Clayton, and Mr.  
William Yaites, the whole yeare Rente: for  
the Schoole Lande in Mellor: due for this  
yeare, 1653, the some of - - - xli

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned,  
to bee Receued, vids: in Readie mony  
xvij<sup>li</sup> xvijs v<sup>d</sup>. In good bonds, principall,  
and Interesse, iiij<sup>xx</sup>li ijs. And for the  
Schoole lande xli All which three Somes  
Added together, Amounts to - - - cxvij<sup>li</sup> xixs v<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receptes of cxvij<sup>li</sup> xixs v<sup>d</sup> Receued, by mee  
Adam Boulton, there haith beene disbursed as followeth.

Imprimis giuen Mr. Morrise, the usher; by  
the appointment of the Gouernors: this  
xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1652, his Arreares;  
usually paid him: by the staites Receur:  
(but this yeare nelected, the land beinge  
soulde) the some of - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> js iiij<sup>d</sup>



- Item : paid to Mr. Randell Sharples, and the usher, there charges, at Preston Shewing some evidences, to Mr. ffell : purchaser, of the said lande - - - - - iij<sup>s</sup>
- Item : for sendinge a letter to Mr. Haworth, and Mr. ffell, with a Coppie of the decree, to London, to bee Shewed there - - - ix<sup>d</sup>
- Item : for mendinge the deskes in the Schoole, and for nayles - - - - - iij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>
- Item : paid Mr. Morrise the usher, this xj<sup>th</sup> of february, 1652, to make upp the Audite mony : (beefore mencioned) x<sup>li</sup> the some of - v<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>
- Item : Paid Mr. Swinlehurst the master : his Augmentacion this iiij<sup>th</sup> of May, 1653, accordinge to an Order, maid January, 1647, the some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup>
- Item : giuen Mr. Morrise, the usher, his Augmentacion this iiij<sup>th</sup> of May, 1653, accordinge to the said Order, maide in January, 1647, the some of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>
- Item : paid for glasinge the Schoole windowes, October, 1653, accordinge to a noate, from John Abott, And John Lawe, more then what the scollars gave - - - - - xix<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>
- Item : paid for laitts : for nayles, for getting mosse, for new Slaite, and for ffechinge the said slayte, as by a noate, under the said hands - - - - - xv<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>
- Item : paid the Slayters for takinge off twoo bayes, and Coveringe againe and mossinge the Schoole, and the house of office Rounde, the some of - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Item: Allowed the said Adam for keepinge  
this said Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of Disbursements  
beinge all Added together, Amounts to - xxj<sup>li</sup> js xjd

Which said some of xxj<sup>li</sup> js xjd deductked out  
of the some of cxvij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vd. And there  
Remaynes Cleare the some of - - - iiij<sup>xx</sup>xvij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vjd

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xvij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vjd is  
Employed as here after followeth: vids:  
Lente Thomas Ashton and others till the  
xxij<sup>th</sup> of January, 1653, the principall  
some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item: lente John Darwen and  
others, till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary, 1653, the  
principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item: lente John  
Astley and others till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary,  
1653, the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. Item:  
lente Arthur Piccopp and others till the  
iiij<sup>th</sup> of May, 1654, the principall some of vi<sup>li</sup>.  
Item: lente Mr. Ainsworth and others till  
the xx<sup>th</sup> of Auguste, 1654, the principall  
some of x<sup>li</sup>. All which said principall  
somes, Added to gether, Amounts to - lxxxv<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of lxxxv<sup>li</sup> lent forth:  
deductked out of the some of iiij<sup>xx</sup>xvij<sup>li</sup>  
xvij<sup>s</sup> vjd afore mencioned, to bee Remaninge  
Cleare. And there Remaynes in the hands  
of mee Adam Boulton, in Readie mony,  
ouer and aboue the mony lente forth, the  
some of - - - - - xij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vjd

Alsoe the mony lente forth, beinge the some of  
lxxxv<sup>li</sup> it appeares, that the Interesse, there  
of, att vj<sup>li</sup> the hundereth, att and beefore the  
xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1654, will Amounte to - vi<sup>li</sup> ijs



Which three somes aboue mencioned, vids :  
 of lxxxv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lente, And of  
 xij<sup>li</sup> xvijs vjd mencioned to bee in Readie  
 mony; And of v<sup>li</sup> ijs beinge Intereste, to bee  
 Receued, for the mony lente forth, beinge  
 all Added together, will make the whole  
 Stocke, of the Schoole mony: in good  
 bonds, and Readie mony, the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
 December, 1654, Amounte to - - - cij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vjd

Att an assemblie of the Gouvernors upon the xvj<sup>th</sup> day of  
 februarie, 1654, the last mencioned accoumpts were Redd and  
 approved, And they did then electe Randle Sharples esq. and  
 Thurstan Mawdisley gent. to bee Gouvernors of the free Schole  
 of Blackeburne. And they did eyther of them paye unto  
 Adam Bolton the Scholes Auditor to bee Employed for thuse  
 the said Schole x<sup>s</sup> apeece.

John Talbott.  
 Alexander Osbaldeston.  
 Leonard Clayton.  
 Edward Houghton.  
 Ellys Edge.

John Talbott.  
 Tho: Whalley.  
 Edward Rishton.  
 Roger Gelibrond.

December 21<sup>th</sup>, 1654.\*

The free Gramer Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
 Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Adam Boulton to the Gouvernors  
 of the said Schoole of the Stocke, Intereste, and other monyes,  
 Receued by mee the said Adam for the use of the said  
 Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appears by the Accounte made the xxj<sup>th</sup> of  
 December, 1653, That there was then in  
 Ready mony xij<sup>li</sup> xvijs vjd. And likewyse  
 in good bonds lxxxx<sup>li</sup> ijd as appeares in the  
 Conditions mencioned in the said Accounte,

\* Lancelot Boulton's writing begins here.

vids : lxxxv<sup>li</sup> principall mony : And v<sup>li</sup> ijs  
beinge Interesse mony : All which said  
somes beinge Added togeather Amounts to - cij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vjd

Receued of Mr. Leonard Clayton, And Mr.  
William Yaites the whole yeares Rents for  
the Schoole lande in Mellor, due for this  
yeare, 1654, the some of - - - - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the Totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to bee Receued, vids : in Ready mony  
xij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> vjd. In good bonds principall,  
and Interesse iiij<sup>xx</sup>x<sup>li</sup> ijs. And for the  
Schoole lande x<sup>li</sup>. All which three somes,  
Added togeather, Amounts to - - - - cxij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vjd

Imprimis paid to Mr. Morris, the Usher, this  
ffbruary, 1653, to make up the Audite  
mony, or yeares wages, the some of - - v<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viijd

Item paid John Abbott which hee laid out, for  
ij sparres for the Schoole house, and  
mendinge a locke, after the other Disburse-  
ments paid - - - - - xvij<sup>d</sup>

Item paid Mr. Swinlehurst, the master, his  
Augmentacion the iiij<sup>th</sup> of May, 1654,  
According to an order made January, 1647,  
the some of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup>

Item giuen Mr. Morrise the Usher, his  
Augmentacion May the iiij<sup>th</sup>, 1654,  
Accordinge to the saide Order, made  
January, 1647, the some of - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item allowed the said Adam, for keepinge the  
said Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of Disbursements  
beinge all added togeather, Amounts to - xiiij<sup>li</sup> ijs



Which said some of xiiij<sup>li</sup> ijs Deducted out of  
the some of cxij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> vjd. And there  
Remaynes Cleare the some of - - iiij<sup>xxviiijli</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xxviiijli</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> is  
Imployed as hereafter followeth, vids:  
Lente Thomas Ashton, and others, till the  
xij<sup>th</sup> of January, 1654, the principall some  
of x<sup>li</sup>. Item Lente John Darwen and others  
till the viij<sup>th</sup> of february, 1654, the principall  
some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item Lente John Astley and  
others till the ix<sup>th</sup> of february, 1654, the  
principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. Item Lente  
Beniaminge Hayhurste and others till the  
xxiiij of June, 1655, the principall some of  
x<sup>li</sup>. Item Lente Mr. Ainsworth and others  
till the xx<sup>th</sup> of Auguste, 1655, the principall  
some of x<sup>li</sup>. All which said principall  
somes, Added together, Amounts to - iiij<sup>xxxi</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xxxi</sup> lente forth,  
deducted out of the some of iiij<sup>xxviiijli</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>  
afore mencioned, to bee Remaininge cleare.  
And there Remaynes in the hands of mee  
Adam Boulton in Ready mony, ouer and  
aboue the mony lente forth, the some of - viij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony Lente forth beinge the some  
of iiij<sup>xxxi</sup> it appeares that the Interesse  
thereof att vj<sup>li</sup> the hundereth, att or before  
the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1655, Will Amounte  
to - - - - - vli viijs

Which iij somes laste aboue mencioned vids:  
of iiij<sup>xxxi</sup> beinge said to bee lente forth:  
And of viij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in  
Ready mony. And of v<sup>li</sup> viijs beinge  
Intereste to bee Receued, for the mony  
Lente forth; beinge all added together,  
Will make the whole Stocke of the Schoole

mony : in good bonds, and Ready money :  
the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1655, Amounte to - ciiij<sup>li</sup> vijs iiij<sup>d</sup>

The Accounts for this yeare were examined by  
the Gouvernors whose names are subscribed and  
were approved of the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1654.

Att an assemblie of the Gouvernors the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December,  
1654, they did Allecte William Yats, And John Talbott to bee  
Gouvernors of the said Schoole of Blackborne, in Regard of  
there greate paynes taken aboute the Schoole businesse, As  
alsoe Ellis Edge and James Whalley, each of them hauinge  
att there Allection, paid x<sup>s</sup> a peece, for Augmentacion of the  
Schoole Stocke aforsaid, which in the totall is the some of xl<sup>s</sup>.

Alexander Osbaldeston.

Edward Houghton.

John Ainsworth.

William Yates.

John Abbott.

John Talbott.

James Whaley.

John Lawe.

Edward Rishton.

Ellys Edge.

Tho : Whalley.

Att the Assembly of the Gouvernors of the ffree Schoole of  
Blackburne in the Countie of Lancaster it is ordered that  
Mr. Richard Whithalge gentleman shall receive and have  
therten pounds which was due upon the ffifteenth day next  
after Martinmas last for the payment of the late Scholemasters  
Table wage, & the Residue to bee paid towards the payment  
of his other debts, howbeit ij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> is to bee deducted for  
portage of the said Rent.

Alexander Osbaldeston.

John Talbott.

Leo : Clayton.

John Talbott.

John Clayton.

Ralph : Liuesay.

Ran : Sharples.

Roger Gelibrond.

December 21<sup>th</sup>, 1655.

The ffree Gramar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Lancelott Boulton, to the  
Gouvernors of the said Schoole, of the Stocke Interesse, and



other monyes, Receued by mee the said Lancelott, for the use of the said Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte made the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1654, That there was then in Ready mony viij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>, And likewise in good bonds lxxxxv<sup>li</sup> viijs, As appeares in the Conditions mencioned in the said Accounte, vids: lxxxx<sup>li</sup> principall mony, and v<sup>li</sup> viijs beinge Interest money: All which said somes, being Added together, Amounts to - - - - - ciiij<sup>li</sup> vijs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. Leonard Clayton, and Mr. William Yaites, the whole yeares Rents: for the Schoole lande in Mellor, and for this yeare, 1655, the some of - - - - - x<sup>li</sup>

Receued att an assembly of Gouvernors, the said xxj<sup>th</sup> Day of December, 1654, of William Yaites of Blackborne, John Talbott, Ellis Edge, and James Whalley, gentillmen: Then Ellected Gouvernors, ten shillings each: which is - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Receued of Thomas Ashton in parte of his bonde, beinge parte of the Stocke - - - iiij<sup>li</sup> iijs<sup>s</sup>

Soe as the Totall of the somes aboue mencioned to bee Receued, vids: In Ready mony: viij<sup>li</sup> xix<sup>s</sup> iiij<sup>d</sup>. And likewise in Good bonds principall and Interest lxxxxv<sup>li</sup> viijs. And for the Schoole lands x<sup>li</sup> And of the Ellected Gouvernors ij<sup>li</sup>, And iiij<sup>li</sup> iijs of Thomas Ashton. All which said somes, added together, Amounts to the some of - - - - - cxx<sup>li</sup> xjs iiij<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receipts disbursed as followeth :—

Inprimis paid Mr. Morris the Usher this  
february, 1654, to make up the Audit mony  
or yeares wages the some of - - - vli xviijs viijd

Paid Mr. Randle Sharples upon his Acquittance,  
March 20<sup>th</sup>, 1654, which hee had paid for the  
Coppinge of a deede Remayninge in Richard Kings  
hands the some of - xx<sup>s</sup>

Item paid Mr. Swinlehurst the Master his  
Augmentacion the 8<sup>th</sup> of May, 1655, Accordinge  
to an order made 1647, the some of - - - - - vli

Item giuen Mr. Moris the Usher his  
Augmentacion May 8<sup>th</sup>, 1655, Accordinge to the  
said Order the some of - - - ijli

Item allowed the said Lancelott for keepinge  
the said Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of Disbursements  
all added togeather Amounts to the some of xiiijli xviijs viijd

Which said some of xiiijli xviijs viijd deducted  
out of the some of cxxli xjs iiijd. And there  
Remains Cleare the some of - - - cvli xjs viijd

Which said some of cvli xjs viijd is Employed  
as hereafter followeth vids : Lente Thomas  
Ashton and others the principall some of xli  
but all is paid but 5<sup>li</sup> 16<sup>s</sup>. Item lente  
John Darwen and others till the viij<sup>th</sup> of  
february, 1655, the principall some of xli.  
Lente John Astley and others till the ffourth  
of february 1655 the principall some of xxli.  
And there is jli iijs behind for Intereste,  
Item Lente Beniamin Hayhurst and others



till the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of June, 1656, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. And there is xijs behind for one yeares Interesse, Item Lente Mr. Ainsworth and others, till the Twentieth of August 1656 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. And there is iiij<sup>li</sup> xvjs behinde for twoo yeares Interesse, All which said somes Added togeather Amounts to iiij<sup>xx</sup> xij<sup>li</sup> that is iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> xvjs beinge said to bee principall mony, and vj<sup>li</sup> xijs beinge Interesse mony unpaid, principall some due is - - - iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> xvjs

The Interesse mony unpaid will Amounte to the some of - - - - - vj<sup>li</sup> xijs

Which aforesaid some of iiij<sup>xx</sup> vli xvjs beinge said to bee principall mony lente forth, and vj<sup>li</sup> xijs beinge Use mony unpaid, Deducted out of the some of cv<sup>li</sup> xijs viij<sup>d</sup> Afore mencioned to bee Remanes Cleare And there Remanes in the hands of mee Lancelot Boulton, in Ready mony over and aboue the mony lente forth, the some of - - - xiiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony Lente forth beinge the some of iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> xvjs. It appeares that the Interesse there of, att vj<sup>li</sup> the Hundreth, att or before the 21<sup>th</sup> day of December, 1656, will Amounte to - - - - - vli ijs

Which, iiij somes laste aboue mencioned vids : of iiij<sup>xx</sup> vli xvjs beinge said to bee lente forth, And of vj<sup>li</sup> xijs beinge Interesse unpaid, and of xiiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> mencioned to bee in Ready mony. And of vli ijs beinge Interesse to bee Receaued for the mony lente forth, beinge all added togeather, will make the whole stocke of the Schoole in good bonds & Ready mony the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1656 Amounte to - - - - - cx<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

The Accompts for this yeare were examined by the  
Gouernors whose names are subscribed and were approued  
of the 19<sup>th</sup> Day of January 1655.

|                        |                  |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Ran : Sharples.        | Ralph : Liuesay. |
| James Whaley.          | Edward Houghton. |
| John Talbott.          | Ellys Edge.      |
| John Talbott.          | William Yates.   |
| Alexander Osbaldeston. | Jo : Lawe.       |
| John Talbott.          | Edward Rishton.  |
| Leo : Clayton.         |                  |

xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of Januarie 1655.

Memorandum that the daye and yeare aboue written The  
Gouernors haue Ellected & chosen Charles Segar gent to  
serve for the Schole master of Blackeburne, so long as the  
Gouernors shall like well of.

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|------------------------|------------------|
| John Talbott.          | Leo : Clayton.   |
| Alexander Osbaldeston. | Peter Haworth.   |
| John Talbott.          | Ralph : Liuesay. |
| Nic : Shuttleworth.    |                  |

It was ordered upon the xxj<sup>th</sup> daye of Januarie 1655 by the  
Gouernors that Mr. Morris the usher shall haue v<sup>li</sup> for his  
panes taken in Teatching of the schole since the death of the  
late master, the portage to bee deducted, & to bee paid at  
Pentecost next out of farnehills Rent charge & the new  
ellected master to haue the other half.

December 21<sup>th</sup> 1656.

The ffree Gramar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Lancelott Boulton to the  
Gouernors of the said Schoole, of the Stocke Interesse and  
other monyes. Receued by mee the said Lancelott, for the  
use of the said Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.



It appeares by the Accounte made the 21<sup>th</sup> of Decembr 1655 that there was then in Ready mony xiiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>. And likewise in good bonds lxxxxvij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> as appeares in the Condicion mencioned in the said Accounte, vids: iiij<sup>xxvli</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> principall mony, And vj<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> Interesse in Arreare, And v<sup>li</sup> ij<sup>s</sup> Interesse for the mony lente forth All which somes beinge Added together Amounts to cx<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Receaved of Mr. Leonard Clayton and Mr. William Yaits the whole yeares rentes: for the Schoole lands in Mellor, due for this yeare 1656 the some of - - - - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned to bee Receued, vids: in Ready mony xiiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> [viij<sup>d</sup>.] In good Bonds principall and Interesse lxxxxvij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup>. And for the schoole lande x<sup>li</sup>. All which iij somes added together Amounts to - - - - cxx<sup>li</sup> xiiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Disbursed asfolloweth.

Inprimis paid Mr. Morres the Usher this ffebruary 1655 to make up the Auditte mony or yeares Wages the some of - - - v<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item paid Mr. Sagar the Master, his Augmentacion the j<sup>th</sup> of May, 1656, Accordinge to an order made January: 1647, the some of v<sup>li</sup>

Item Giuen Mr. Morres the Usher his Augmentacion May j<sup>th</sup> 1656. Accordinge to the said order made January: 1647, the some of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item Allowed the said Lancelott for keepinge the said Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of Disbursments  
beinge all added togeather Amounts to - xiiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xiiij<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> deducted  
out of the some of cxxli xiiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>. And  
there Remaynes Cleare the some of - - cvj<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of cvj<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> is Employed as  
hereafter ffolloweth vids: Lente Thomas  
Ashton and others till the xxij<sup>th</sup> of January  
1656 the principall some of v<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup>. Item  
Lente John Darwen and others till the viij<sup>th</sup>  
of february: 1656, the principall some of  
xli. Lente John Astley and others till the  
iiij<sup>th</sup> of february 1656 the principall some  
of xxli. Item lente Benjamin Hayhurst  
and others till the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of June 1657 the  
principall some of xli. Item Lente Mr. John  
Aynsworth and others, till the xx<sup>th</sup> of  
Auguste 1657 the principall some of xli.  
All which said principall somes Added to  
geather Amounts to the some of - - iiij<sup>xxv</sup>li xvj<sup>s</sup>

Which said some of iiij<sup>xx</sup> vli xvj<sup>s</sup> beinge said  
to bee principall mony lente forth, Deducted  
out of the some of cvj<sup>li</sup> xvj<sup>s</sup> afore mencioned  
to bee Remayninge Cleare. And there  
Remaynes in the hands of mee Lancelott  
Boulton in Ready mony ouer and aboue the  
mony lente forth the some of - - - xxj<sup>li</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth beinge the some of  
iiij<sup>xx</sup> vli xvj<sup>s</sup>. It appeares that the Interesse  
thereof att vj<sup>li</sup> the Hundreth, att or before  
the xxj<sup>th</sup> day of December 1657. Will  
Amounte to - - - - - vli ij<sup>s</sup>

Which three somes laste aboue mencioned  
vids: of iiij<sup>xxv</sup>li xvj<sup>s</sup> beinge said to bee



lente forth, And of xxj<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee  
 Ready mony, And of vli ijs beinge Interesse  
 to bee Receued for the mony Lente forth,  
 beinge all added togeather, will make the  
 whole stocke of the Schoole in good Bonds  
 and Ready mony the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December  
 1657. Amounte to - - - - cxj<sup>li</sup> xviijs

The Accompts for this yeare were examined by the  
 Gouvernors whose names are subscribed, and were approued  
 of the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January 1656.

|                        |                 |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| Ran : Sharples.        | William Yates.  |
| James Whaley.          | Jo Lawe.        |
| John Talbott.          | Edward Rishton. |
| Alexander Osbaldeston. | Tho : Whalley.  |
| John Talbott.          | Ellys Edge.     |
| Leo : Clayton.         | John Talbott.   |
| Ralph : Liuesay.       |                 |

xiiij daye of Septembr 1657.

At an assemblie of the Gouvernors the daye abousaid It was  
 ordered, That Sr John Talbott knight & Ric Haworth esqr  
 should bee willed & Required to Convey & assure a Mesuage  
 & Tenemt within Mellor wth thapprtennce To the said  
 Gouvernors & theire successors, To thuse of the free schole of  
 Blackburne, for ever, which said premiss<sup>s</sup> heretofore (in  
 consideracion of a certeine some of money paid by the said  
 Gouvernors) were Conveyed & assured by James Whithalghe  
 gent deceassed & Rauf Walkeden, To the said Sr John &  
 Richard Haworth & others whoe are dead, and they the said  
 Sr John Talbott & Ric Haworth surviveing, And the charge  
 for the effecting thereof shalbee paid by Lancelot Bolton out  
 of the schole stocke.\*

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| Ralph : Liuesay. | William Walmisley. |
| Ran : Sharples.  | Edward Rishton.    |
| Roger Gelibrond. | John Lawe.         |
| Peter Haworth.   | John Abbott.       |
| William Yates.   |                    |

\* See pp. 75, 154, 155.

It is ordered the xxj<sup>th</sup> of Decembr 1657 that Lawrence Haworth shall haue for drawinge & Ingrossinge & entring the deed in the schole boocke the some of x<sup>s</sup> wch is also to be paid by the said Lancelot.

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|------------------|--------------|
| Leo : Clayton.   | Wm. Marsden. |
| Ralph : Liuesay. | John Lawe.   |
| Ran : Sharples.  | Ellys Edge.  |
| Peter Haworth.   | John Abbott. |
| Robt : Reddinge. |              |

December : 21<sup>th</sup> 1657.

The ffree Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Lancelott Boulton to the Gouernors of the said schoole of the stocke Interesse & other monyes, Receued by mee the said Lancelott for the use of the said schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It Appeares by the Accounte made the 21<sup>th</sup> of Decembr 1656 that there was then in Ready mony, xxj<sup>li</sup> and likewise in good bonds, iiij<sup>xx</sup> x<sup>li</sup> xviijs as appeares in the Condictions mencioned in the said accounte vids: iiij<sup>xx</sup> v<sup>li</sup> xvjs principall mony, And v<sup>li</sup> ijs Interesse for the mony lente forth, All which said somes beinge added togeather, comes to - - - - - cxj<sup>li</sup> xviijs

Receued of Mr. Leonard Clayton and Mr. William Yaits the whole yeares Rente for the schoole lande in Mellor due for this yeare, 1657 - - - - - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned to bee Receued, vids: in Ready mony xxj<sup>li</sup>.  
And in good bonds principall and Interest



iii<sup>j</sup>xx<sup>li</sup> xvii<sup>s</sup>. And for the Schoole land  
 x<sup>li</sup>. All which three somes added to geather  
 Amounts to - - - - - cxx<sup>j</sup>li xvii<sup>s</sup>

Out of which Receipts Disbursed as followeth.

Inprimis paid Mr. Morres the Usher this  
 february, 1656, to make up the Auditt  
 mony or yeares Wages the some of - - v<sup>li</sup> xvii<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item paid John Lawe for repairinge the seats  
 cleaninge the house of office, and mending  
 lockes - - - - - j<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item paid James Boulton Aprill 13<sup>th</sup> 1657 for  
 a booke which hee had boughte for the Use  
 of the schoole - - - - - xxx<sup>j</sup>s

Item paid Mr. Sagar the master his Augmen-  
 tacion May j<sup>th</sup> 1657 accordinge to an order  
 made January 1647 the some of - - v<sup>li</sup>

Item paid Mr. Mores the Usher his Augmen-  
 tacion accordinge to the said order, the  
 sume of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item paid John Lawe towards payinge for  
 Reparacions in the schoole - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Item allowed the said Lancelott for keepinge  
 the said Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of Disbursments  
 beinge all added togeather Amounts to - xv<sup>j</sup>li x<sup>j</sup>s iiij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of xv<sup>j</sup>li x<sup>j</sup>s iiij<sup>d</sup> deducted out  
 of the some of cxx<sup>j</sup>li xvii<sup>s</sup> and there  
 remains cleare the some of - - - cv<sup>li</sup> v<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of cv<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> is Employed  
 as hereafter ffolloweth vids : lente Thomas  
 Ashton and others till the xxij<sup>th</sup> of January,  
 1657, the principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Item lente  
 John Darwen and others till the viij<sup>th</sup> of  
 february : 1657 the some of x<sup>li</sup>. lente John  
 Astley and others till the iiij<sup>th</sup> of february :  
 1657 the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. Item lente  
 Benjamin Hayhurste and others till the  
 xxiiij<sup>th</sup> of June, 1658 the principall some of  
 x<sup>li</sup>. Item lente Mr. John Aynsworth and  
 Others till the xx<sup>th</sup> of Auguste 1658 the  
 principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lente George  
 Charnley and others till the xvij<sup>th</sup> of July :  
 1658 the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. All which  
 said principall somes added together  
 Amounts to the some of - - - cv<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of cv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee  
 principall mony lente forth, deducted out of  
 the some of cv<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> afore mencioned to  
 bee remaininge cleare, And there remaynes  
 in the hands of mee Lancelott Boulton in  
 ready mony, ouer and aboue the mony lente  
 forth the some of - - - - -

vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth beinge the some  
 of cv<sup>li</sup>. It appeares that the Interesse there  
 of att vj<sup>li</sup> per Cent, att or before the xxj<sup>th</sup>  
 day of December, 1658, will amounte to - vj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup>

Which three somes laste aboue mencioned  
 vids : of cv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lente forthe,  
 and of vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> beinge said to bee in Ready  
 mony : And of vj<sup>li</sup> vj beinge Interesse to  
 bee Receued for the mony lente forth,  
 beinge all added together, Will make the  
 whole stocke of the schoole in good bonds



and Ready mony the xxj<sup>th</sup> of Decembr :

1658. Amounte to - - - - cxjli xij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

The accountps were approved of the xxj<sup>th</sup> of Decembr  
1657 by us.

|                  |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| Leo : Clayton.   | John Talbott.    |
| Ralph : Liuesay. | Ellys Edge.      |
| Ran : Sharples.  | John Lawe.       |
| William Yates.   | Roger Gelibrond. |
| Wm. Marsden.     | Peter Haworth.   |
| Robt : Reddinge. |                  |

It is ordered the xxj<sup>th</sup> of Decembr 1657 That Mr. Sager the  
schole master shall haue v<sup>li</sup> augmentation yearlie as his  
predecessors haue hadd during the Gouvernors pleasure.

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|------------------|------------------|
| Leo : Clayton.   | Peter Haworth.   |
| Ralph : Liuesay. | Wm. Marsden.     |
| Ran : Sharples.  | John Talbott.    |
| William Yates.   | John Lawe.       |
| Robt : Reddinge. | Roger Gelibrond. |

December 21<sup>th</sup> 1658.

The ffree Gramar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Lancelott Boulton to the  
Gouvernors of the said schoole of the stocke Intereste & other  
monyes Receued by mee the said Lancelott Boulton for the  
use of the said Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte made the 21<sup>th</sup> of  
December 1657, that there was then in  
Ready mony vj<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>. And likewise in  
good bonds cxjli vj<sup>s</sup> as appeares in the  
Condicons mencioned in the said Accounte,  
vids: cv<sup>li</sup> principall mony, and vj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup>  
beinge Intereste mony, All wch said somes  
beinge added together Amounts to - - cxjli xij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. Leonard Clayton and Mr.  
William Yaites the whole yeares Rente for  
the schoole lande in mellor due for this  
yeare 1658 - - - - - xli

Soe the totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to bee Receued, vids: in Ready mony:  
vjli viijs. And in good bonds principall  
and Interesse cxjli vjs. And for the Schole  
lande in Mellor, xli. All wch three somes  
Added togeather Amounts to - - - cxxjli xij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receipts: Disbursed asfolloweth.

Inprimis paid Mr. Morres the Usher this  
ffbruary 1657 to make up the Auditt mony  
or yeares wages the some of - - - vli xviijs viij<sup>d</sup>

Item paid Mr. Roger Gelibrond the 24<sup>th</sup> of  
ffbruary 1657 for the makinge and perfect-  
inge of a deed of Bargan and sale made by  
Sr John Talbott & Richard Haworth Esqr:  
to the Gouvernors of the Schoole - - - xxij<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

Item paid Mr. Sagar the master his Augmen-  
tacion May 1658 - - - - - vli

Item paid Mr. Morres the Usher his Augmen-  
tacion May 1658 - - - - - ijli

Item paid the Glasier for reparinge the  
Schoole Windowes Octobr 1658 - - - vx<sup>s</sup>

Item Allowed the said Lancelott for keepinge  
the said Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Wch said seurall somes of Disbursments  
beinge all added togeather Amounts to xvjli vjs ij<sup>d</sup>



Which said some of xv<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> deducted out  
of the some of cxxj<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>. And there  
Remaines Cleare the some of - - -

cvj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of cvj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> is Imployed  
as hereafter ffolloweth vids: lente Thomas  
Ashton and others till the 22<sup>th</sup> of January,  
1658, the principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Item lente  
John Darwen and others till the 8<sup>th</sup> of  
february 1658 the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>.  
lente John Astley and others till the 4<sup>th</sup> of  
february: 1658, the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>.  
Item lente Beniamin Hayhurste and others  
till the 24<sup>th</sup> of June, 1659, the principall  
some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lente Mr. John Ayns-  
worth and others till the 20<sup>th</sup> of Auguste,  
1659, the principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item  
lente George Charnley and others till the  
17<sup>th</sup> of July: 1659 the principall some of  
xx<sup>li</sup>. All wch said principall somes Added  
together Amounts to the some of - -

cv<sup>li</sup>

Which said some of cv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee  
principall mony lente forth, deducted out of  
the some of cvj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> affore mencioned to  
bee Remaing Cleare, and there Remaines  
in the hands of mee Lancelott Boulton in  
Ready mony ouer and aboue the mony lente  
forth the some of - - - - -

j<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth beinge the some  
of cv<sup>li</sup>. It appeares that the Interesse there  
of att vj<sup>li</sup> per Cent att or before the 21<sup>th</sup> of  
December 1659 will Amounte to - -

vj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup>

Which three somes laste aboue mencioned  
vids: of cv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lente forth,  
and of j<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> vj<sup>d</sup> beinge said to be Ready  
mony, And of vj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> beinge Interesse to bee

Receued for the mony lente forth beinge all  
added togeather will make the whole stocke  
of the Schoole in good bonds and Ready  
mony the 21<sup>th</sup> of December, 1659, Amounte  
to - - - - - cxij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> vjd

The accountps abousaid were allowed of the xx<sup>th</sup> of  
Decembr 1658.

Leo : Clayton.  
Ralph : Liuesay.  
Peter Haworth.  
Thomas Haworth.

John Abbott.  
Edward Rishton.  
Ellys Edge.  
Roger Gelibrond.

December 21<sup>th</sup>, 1659.

The ffree Gramar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte made by me Lancelott Boulton to the  
Gouernors of the said Schoole of the stocke Interesse, and  
other monyes, Receued by mee Lancelott Boulton, for the  
use of the said Schoole, And of the Imployment of the same.

It Appeares by the Accounte made the 21<sup>th</sup> of  
December, 1658, that there was then in  
Ready mony, j<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> vjd. And likewise in  
good bonds cxj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> As appears in the  
condicions mencioned in the said Accounte,  
vids: cv<sup>li</sup> principall mony, And vj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup>  
Intereste for the mony lente forth, All which  
said somes beinge added togeather Amounts  
to the sume of - - - - - cxij<sup>li</sup> xij<sup>s</sup> vjd

Receued of Mr. Leonard Clayton and Mr.  
William Yaites the whole yeares Rente for  
the Schoole lande in Mellor due for this  
yeare, 1659 - - - - - xli



Out of which Receipts Disbursed as followeth :—

|   |                  |
|---|------------------|
| Inprimis paid for Reparinge the Deskes,<br>mossinge the Schoole, for lime, and<br>pointinge, and other things which was<br>needful - - - - -  | x <sup>s</sup>   |
| Item paid to John Marsden the Glasier, for<br>mendinge the Usher Windowe - - -  | v <sup>s</sup>   |
| Item Deliuered to John Lawe, which hee was<br>to Disburse upon occasion for the Schooles<br>use the sume of - - - - -   | xx <sup>s</sup>  |
| Item paid Mr. Morres the Usher ffeb. 1658, to<br>make up the Auditt mony or yeares wages<br>the sume of - - - - -   | vli xviijs viijd |
| Item paid Mr. Sagar the master his Augmen-<br>tacion, May, 1659 - - - - -   | vli              |
| Item paid Mr. Morres the Usher his<br>Augmentacion May, 1659 - - - -  | ijli             |
| Item giuen the Usher which hee and Mr. Sagar<br>had laïd downe to Mr. ffeilden for drawinge<br>a letter to bee sente to Mr. Edge att London   | ijs              |
| Item allowed the said Lancelott ffor keepinge<br>the Accounts - - - - -   | xx <sup>s</sup>  |
| Which said seuerall somes of Disbursmente<br>beinge all added togeather amounts to - -  | xvli xvs viijd   |
| Which said sume of xvli xvs viijd deducted out<br>of the sume of cxxijli xij <sup>s</sup> vjd. And there<br>Remaynes cleare the sume of - - -   | cvjli xvjs xd    |
| Which said sume of cvjli xvjs xd is Employed<br>as here after followeth, vids: lente Thomas<br>Ashton and others till the xxij <sup>th</sup> of January,<br>1659, the principall sume of vli. Item lente<br>John Darwen and others till the 8 <sup>th</sup> of<br>ffebuary, 1659, the principall sume of xli<br>lente John Astley and others till the 4 <sup>th</sup> of<br>ffebuary, 1659, the principall sume of xxli |                  |

lente, Beniamin Hayhurste and others till the 24<sup>th</sup> of June, 1660, the principall sume of x<sup>li</sup>, lente Mr. John Aynsworth and others till the 20<sup>th</sup> of Auguste, 1660, the principall sume of xlii, lente George Charnley and others till the 17<sup>th</sup> of July, 1660, the principall sume of xx<sup>li</sup>. All which said principall sumes, added togeather Amounts to the sume of - - - - - cvli

Which said sume of cvli beinge said to bee principall mony lente forth deducted out of the some of cvj<sup>li</sup> xvjs x<sup>d</sup> afore mencioned to bee Remaininge cleare, And there Remaines in the hands of mee Lancelott Boulton in Ready mony: ouer and aboue the mony lente forth - - - - - j<sup>li</sup> xvjs x<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth beinge the sume of cvli. It appeares that the Intereste thereof att vj<sup>li</sup> per cent. att or before the 21<sup>th</sup> of December, 1660, will amounte to - - vj<sup>li</sup> vjs

Which said three somes laste aboue mencioned vids: of cvli beinge said to bee lente forth, and of j<sup>li</sup> xvjs x<sup>d</sup> beinge said to bee in Ready mony, And of vj<sup>li</sup> vjs beinge Intereste to bee Receued for the mony lente forth, beinge all added togeather will make the whole stocke of the Schoole in good bonds and Ready mony the 21<sup>th</sup> of December, 1660, Amounte to- - - - - cxiiij<sup>li</sup> ijs x<sup>d</sup>

The Accounts aboue said were allowed of the xv<sup>th</sup> January, 1659.

John Talbott.  
Ralph: Livesay.  
Ran: Sharples.  
Peter Haworth.  
William Marsden.  
Roger Gelibrond.  
John Abbott.

Tho: Whaley.  
William Yates.  
Edward Rishton.  
James Whaley.  
Thurstan Mawdsley.  
Ellys Edge.  
John Talbott.



August the 10, 1660.\*

A perfecte note of all of sutch parcels of Monneyes as George Lyvesay and Richard Lawe haue Laide downe towards the Reparinge of the Schoulehouse of the free Grammer Schole of Blackburne. Vidz :

|  |                                     |
|--|-------------------------------------|
| In primis John Heape gave us a lode of slate<br>and brought us - - - - -   |                                     |
| ffor meate and drinke to ij men that brought<br>the slate to Catheren Marsden - - -                                    | viii <sup>d</sup>                   |
| Item Rauphe Dewhurste and his men for<br>mending of slate and mossinge viii dayes<br>iii <sup>d</sup> a daye - - - - - | ii <sup>s</sup>                     |
| Item to Catheren Marsden for their meate and<br>drinke - - - - -   | iiii <sup>s</sup>                   |
| To Chadwicke for mosse - - - - -   | iii <sup>s</sup>                    |
| Item for vii load of Limstones at 8 <sup>d</sup> a lode -  | iiii <sup>s</sup> viii <sup>d</sup> |
| More for iii lode of Limstones at 9 <sup>d</sup> a lode -  | ii <sup>s</sup> iii <sup>d</sup>    |
| More for ii Load - - - - -   | xviii <sup>d</sup>                  |
| More for iii lode of Limstones at 9 <sup>d</sup> a lode -  | ii <sup>s</sup> iii <sup>d</sup>    |
| Item 3 pleasterers the first weake xi dayes -  | iii <sup>s</sup> viii <sup>d</sup>  |
| The second weake xiii <sup>o</sup> dayes - - - -   | iiii <sup>s</sup> viii <sup>d</sup> |
| The third wicke xiiii dayes - - - -  | iiii <sup>s</sup> viii <sup>d</sup> |
| ffor their table iii <sup>d</sup> a daye ffor a man 38 dayes   | xii <sup>s</sup> viii <sup>d</sup>  |
| Item for Chadwicke one daye to helpe the<br>plesterars - - - - -   | viii <sup>d</sup>                   |
| More to Chadwicke for pauinge - - -  | viii <sup>d</sup>                   |
| To Chadwicke for makeinge kleane the<br>Schole flore after the plasterers had done -                                   | iii <sup>d</sup>                    |
| Item for mending of formes - - - -   | iiii <sup>d</sup>                   |
| Item Tho : Colinson for iii stone heare - -  | iii <sup>s</sup>                    |
| Somma totalis - -  | 50 <sup>s</sup> 11 <sup>d</sup>     |

\* A loose page.

December 21<sup>th</sup>, 1660.

The free Grammar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Lancelott Boulton to the  
Gouernors of the said Schoole of the stocke Interesse and  
other monyes, Receued by mee the said Lancelott for the use  
of the said Schoole, and of the Implayment of the same.

It appeares by the Accounte made the 21<sup>th</sup> of  
December, 1659, that there was then in  
Ready mony j<sup>li</sup> xvjs x<sup>d</sup>, And likewise in  
good bonds cxj<sup>li</sup> vjs, As appeares in the  
condicions mencioned in the said Accounte,  
vids: cv<sup>li</sup> principall mony: And vj<sup>li</sup> vjs  
Intereste for the mony lente forth: All which  
said sumes Added together amounts to the  
sume of - - - - - cxiiij<sup>li</sup> ijs x<sup>d</sup>

Receued of Mr. Leonard Clayton and Mr.  
William Yaites the whole yeares Rente, for  
the Schoole lande in Mellor, due for this  
yeare, 1660 - - - - - x<sup>li</sup>

Soe the Totall of the sumes aboue mencioned  
to bee Received vids: in Ready mony  
j<sup>li</sup> xvjs x<sup>d</sup>, And likewise in good bonds  
principall and Interesse cxj<sup>li</sup> vjs, And for the  
Schoole lande x<sup>li</sup>. All which said sumes  
added together comes to - - - - - cxxiiij<sup>li</sup> ijs x<sup>d</sup>

Out of which Receiptes Disbursed as followeth:—

Imprimis paid Mr. Morres the usher ffeb. 2<sup>th</sup>,  
1659, to make out the Auditt mony or yeares  
wages the sume of - - - - - v<sup>li</sup> xvij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Item paid Mr. Sagar the master his Augmen-  
tacion May j<sup>th</sup>, 1660, the sume of - - - v<sup>li</sup>



Item paid Mr. Morres the usher his Augmen-  
tacion May j<sup>th</sup>, 1660 - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>

Item allowed the aboue said Lancelott for  
keeping the said account - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall sumes of Disbursments  
beinge all added togeather Amounts to - xiiij<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup>

Which said sume of xiiij<sup>li</sup> xviiij<sup>s</sup> viij<sup>d</sup> Deducted  
out of the sume of cxxiiij<sup>li</sup> ij<sup>s</sup> x<sup>d</sup>, And there  
Remaines cleare the sume of - - - - - cix<sup>li</sup> iiiij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>

Which said sume of cix<sup>li</sup> iiiij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> is Employed  
as hereafter followeth, vids: lente Thomas  
Ashton and others till the 22<sup>th</sup> of January,  
1660, the principall sume of ffive pounds:  
Item lente John Darwen and others till the  
8<sup>th</sup> of ffebruary, 1660, the principall sume of  
x<sup>li</sup>, lente Richard Astley till the 4<sup>th</sup> of  
ffebruary, 1660, the principall sume of xx<sup>li</sup>,  
Lente Benjamin Hayhurste and others till  
the 24<sup>th</sup> of June, 1661, the principall sume  
of x<sup>li</sup>, Lente Mr. John Aynsworth and others  
till the 20<sup>th</sup> of Auguste, 1661, the principall  
sume of xli. Item lente George Charnley  
and others till the 17<sup>th</sup> of July, 1661, the  
principall sume of xx<sup>li</sup>. All which said  
principall sumes aded togeather Amounts to  
the sume of - - - - - cv<sup>li</sup>

Which said sume of cv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee  
principall mony lente forth. Deducted out  
of the sume of cix<sup>li</sup> iiiij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> afore mencioned  
to bee Remaininge Cleare, And there  
Remaines in the hands of mee Lancelott  
Boulton in Ready mony ouer and aboue  
the mony lente forth the sume of - - - - - iiiij<sup>li</sup> iiiij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth beinge the sume  
of cv<sup>li</sup>. It appeares that the Intereste thereof  
att vj<sup>li</sup> per cent. att or before the 21<sup>th</sup> of  
December 1661 will Amounte to - - vj<sup>li</sup> vjs

Which three somes laste aboue mencioned,  
vids : of cv<sup>li</sup> beinge said to bee lente forth,  
and of iiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup> beinge said to bee in  
Ready mony, And of vj<sup>li</sup> vjs beinge Intereste  
to bee Receiued for the mony lente forth,  
beinge all added togeather will make the  
whole stocke of the Schoole in good bonds  
and ready mony : the 21<sup>th</sup> of December,  
1661, Amounte to the sume of - - - cxv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>

Att an assemblie of the Gouvernors the xxj daye of December,  
1660, they did ellecte & Chose Lancelot Bolton to bee a  
Gouvernor In Respecte of his service alreadie done to the  
Schole, they did also ellecte Mr. John Clayton of litl Harwood  
gent. for the which hee paid x<sup>s</sup> & deliuered to Lancelot Bolton  
to added to the schole stocke.

|                        |                     |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| John Southworth.       | Tho : Whalley.      |
| Alexander Osbaldeston. | Thurstan Mawdesley. |
| John Talbott.          | Edward Rishton.     |
| Leo : Clayton.         | Henrie feilden.     |
| Rauf Lyvesaye.         | Ellis Edge.         |
| Ran : Sharples.        | John Abbott.        |
| William Yates.         | Roger Gelibrond.    |
| Edward Houghton.       |                     |

At an assemblie of the Gouvernors the xv<sup>th</sup> daye of Julie,  
1661, they did approve of the Last accoumpts ended at Saint  
Thomas daye last past.

|                        |                  |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Richard Walmsley.      | John Clayton.    |
| Alexander Osbaldeston. | Henry ffeilden.  |
| John Talbott.          | Roger Gelibrond. |
| Leo : Clayton.         | Thurstan ffogge. |
| Ralph : Liuesay.       | Ellys Edge.      |



At an assemblie of the Gouvernors the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> daye of Januarie, 1660, They did ellecte Thomas Walmisley gent. to bee the Usher of the free Gramer Schole of Blackeburne, and Receave such Wages as the last Usher hadd, And that the old Ushers Widow shall haue xlv<sup>s</sup> out of schole stocke, which was due to him from the Audit, and when that which is behind is obteyned from the Audit then to bee added to the stocke againe.

Richard Walmsley.  
John Southworth.  
Alexander Osbaldeston.  
John Talbott.  
Leo : Clayton.  
Ralph : Liuesay.  
Edward Houghton.  
Thurstan Mawdsley.

William Marsden.  
Thorstan flogge.  
James Whalley.  
John Talbott.  
Thomas ffishe.  
Roger Gelibrond.  
William Yates.

At an assemblie of the Gouvernors the xxiiij<sup>th</sup> daye of Januarie, 1660, the did ellecte & chose John Law gent. & James Walmisley to bee Gouvernors of the free Schole of Blackeburne & they did Gyve eyther of them x<sup>s</sup> & paid the same to Lancelot Bolton to bee added to the schole stoke, And the key of the schole chest which was in the keeping of Mr. Law, was deliuered to Mr. Thurstan Mawdsley to bee kept in Respecte of his more Conveniencie.

Richard Walmsley.  
John Southworth.  
Alexander Osbaldeston.  
John Talbott.  
Leo : Clayton.

Ralph : Liuesay.  
Edward Houghton.  
Lancelott Boulton.  
Thurstan Mawdsley.  
Roger Gelibrond.

xxiiij<sup>th</sup> daye of Januarie, 1660.

Att an assemblie of the Gouvernors the daye abousaid they did ellecte & chose Thomas Bradill esq. to bee Gouvernor, & hee gave to Lancelot Bolton x<sup>s</sup> to bee added to the stocke.

|                        |                    |
|------------------------|--------------------|
| Richard Walmsley.      | Roger Gelibrond.   |
| John Southworth.       | Lancelott Boulton. |
| Alexander Osbaldeston. | William Yates.     |
| John Talbott.          | Thurstan Mawdsley. |
| Leo: Clayton.          | Edward Rishton.    |
| Ralph Liuesay.         | Thurstan ffogge.   |
| Edward Houghton.       |                    |

December 21<sup>th</sup>, 1661.

The ffree Gramar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in  
Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Lancelott Boulton to the Governors of the said Schoole of the stocke Interesse & other monys belonginge, Receiued by mee the said Launcelott for the use of the said Schoole, and of the Employment of the same.

It appeares by the accounte made the 21<sup>th</sup> of December, 1660, That there was then in Ready mony iiiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ijd, And likewise in good bonds cxj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> as appeares in the Conditions mencioned in the said Accounte, vids: cv<sup>li</sup> principall mony: And vj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> Interesse for the mony lente forth, all which said somes beinge added togeather amounts to - - - - - cxv<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> ijd

Receued from Mr. John Clayton, Mr. Thomas Bradill, Mr. John Lawe, and James Walmsley: Ten shillings apeece, in regard they were ellected Gouvernors: which is the some of - - - - - ij<sup>li</sup>



Receued from Mr. Leonard Clayton & Mr.  
William Yates the whole yeares Rente, for  
the Schoole land in Mellor, due for the yeare  
1661 - - - - -

xli

Soe the Totall of the somes aboue mencioned  
to bee receiued, vids: in Ready mony  
iiij<sup>li</sup> iiij<sup>s</sup> ijd, And likewise in good bonds  
principall and Interesse cxj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup>, And ijd  
receiued from the New elected Gouvernors:  
And for the Schoole land xli. All which  
somes added togeather comes to - - - cxxvij x<sup>s</sup> ijd

Out of which Receipts Disbursed as followeth:—

Inprimis paid John Abbott which we had paid  
for slaite and slateinge and mossinge the  
Schoole January 28<sup>th</sup> - - - - - xxvijs ijd

Item paid the ould Ushers wife according to  
an order from the Gouvernors the same  
beinge due to her late husband, it beinge  
to make up the Auditt or yeares wages the  
sume of - - - - - vli xviijs viijd

Item paid Mr. Sagar the master his Augmen-  
tacion May j<sup>th</sup>, 1661 - - - - - vli

Item paid Mr. Walmsley the Usher his  
Augmentacion May j<sup>th</sup>, 1661 - - - - - ijli

Item paid for dressing the house of office  
November 11<sup>th</sup>, 1661 - - - - - viijs ix<sup>d</sup>

Item allowed the abouesaid Lancelott for  
keepinge the said Accounte - - - - - xx<sup>s</sup>

Which said seuerall somes of Disbursments  
beinge all added togeather comes to - - - xvli xiijs vijd

Which said some of xv<sup>li</sup> xlii<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup> deducted  
out of the sume of cxxvij<sup>li</sup> x<sup>s</sup> ij<sup>d</sup>, And there  
Remaines Cleare the sume of - - - cxj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup>

Which said some of cxj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup> is Employed  
as hereafter ffolloweth, vids: lente Thomas  
Ashton till the 12<sup>th</sup> of December, 1662, the  
principall some of v<sup>li</sup>. Item lente John  
Darwen till the 8<sup>th</sup> of february, 1662, the  
principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lente Richard  
Astley till the 4<sup>th</sup> of february, 1661, the  
principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. Item lente Benjamin  
Hayhurst till the 24<sup>th</sup> of June, 1662, the  
principall some of x<sup>li</sup>. Item lente Mr. John  
Aynsworth till the 20<sup>th</sup> of Auguste, 1662,  
the principall some of xlii. Item lente  
George Charnley till the 17<sup>th</sup> of July, 1662,  
the principall some of xx<sup>li</sup>. All which said  
principall somes added togeather Amounts  
to the sume of - - - - - cvli

Which said some of cvli beinge said to bee  
principall mony lente forth deducted out of  
the sume of cxj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup> aforemencioned to  
bee remaininge Cleare, And there remains  
in the hands of mee Lancelott Boulton mony  
ouer and aboue the mony lente forth the  
sume of - - - - - vj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup>

Alsoe the mony lente forth, beinge the sume  
of cvli, It appeares that the Interesse thereof  
thereof att vj<sup>li</sup> per Cent. att or before the  
21<sup>th</sup> of Decembre, 1662, Will amounte to - vj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup>

Which three sumes laste aboue mencioned,  
vids: of cvli beinge said to bee lente forth,  
And of vj<sup>li</sup> xv<sup>s</sup> vij<sup>d</sup> beinge said to bee in  
ready mony: And of vj<sup>li</sup> vj<sup>s</sup> beinge Interesse  
to bee receiued for the mony lente forth



beinge all added together, will make the whole stocke of the Schoole in bonds and ready mony: the 21<sup>th</sup> of December, 1662, Amounte to - - - - - cxviiijl j<sup>s</sup> vijd

The accountps above mencioned were Redd and approved the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December 1661, by us

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| John Talbott.     | Thurstan ffogge. |
| Leo: Clayton.     | Tho: Whaley.     |
| Ralph Liuesay.    | William Yates.   |
| Edward Rishton.   | Roger Gelibrond. |
| Thurstan Mawdsley | Ellis Edge.      |

At an assemble of the Governours upon the xxj<sup>th</sup> of December, 1661, It was ordered that Mr. Walmisley Usher of the free Grammar Schole of Blackeburne shall haue what shall Remaine over and aboue what charge shall bee need full for the Repairing of the schole, for his further augmen-tacon, and this to contynue During the pleasure of the Gouvernors so as the same doe not exceed fourtie shillings witnes our hands.\*

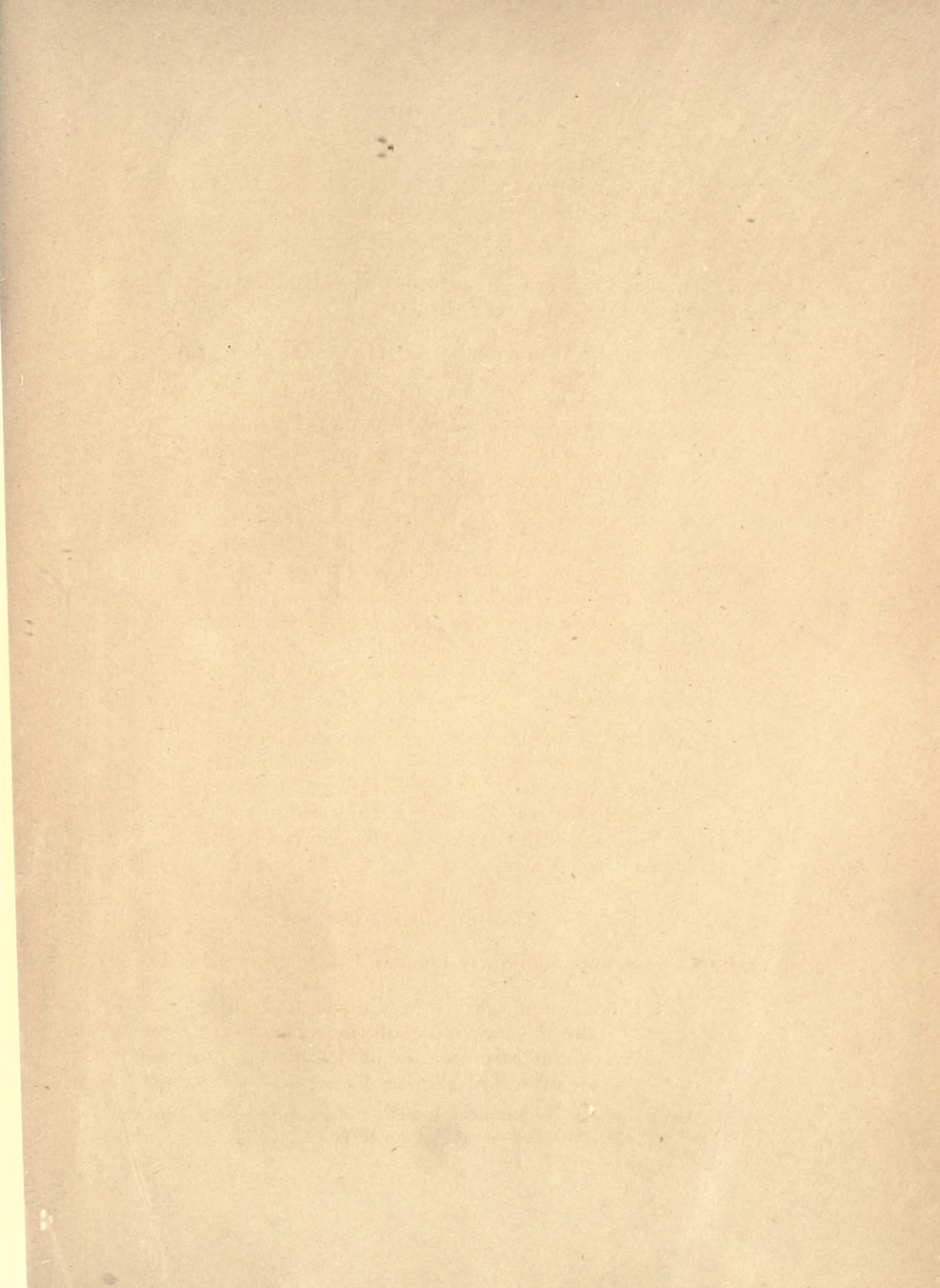
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December 21<sup>th</sup> 1662.

The free Gramar Schoole of Queene Elizabeth in Blackborne.

The Accounte made by mee Lancelott Boulton to the Gouvernors of the said Schoole of the stocke Intereste and other monyes receiued by mee the said Lancelott, for the use of the said Schoole, and of the Imployment of the same.

\* Roger Gelibrond, who has acted as auditor of accounts since 21 Dec., 1629, has been connected with them since 21 Dec., 1622.







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